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Canyon Seeks Buffalo Lake Water

Santa Fe Gives Tank to City

The City of Canyon will soon have a new place to store water.

The Santa Fe railway is in the process of transferring ownership of the water tank on the right of way to the city. The 24 by 60-foot tank will be given to the city in appropriate ceremonies in the near future.

It was retired by the railway company in 1954 when the line became completely dieselized. At that time it was given to the city of Tulia, but was turned back to the Santa Fe because of some difficulty experienced by Tulia.

Since then, the Santa Fe has been buying water from the city and running it through the tank to the company's water lines to buildings owned by the railroad, according to company officials.

When the tank is transferred to the city, it may be left at its present location if the city so desires, a Santa Fe official told the city commission.

The city has no plans at present for using the tank.

School Census Partly Finished

The count of school age children in the Canyon city limits is nearing completion, while the census outside the city is yet to be undertaken on a large scale.

The annual census is being conducted now by Tax Collector Lee Foster, W. E. Miller and Mrs. Ray Fullerton. All children who live in the district, regardless of where they attend school, must be counted.

The census closes Feb. 1. Those families with school age children who have not been contacted by the last part of January should contact the school tax office.

All-Stater

HARLIE ADAMS

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HARLIE ADAMS GETS ON TEAM

Canyon Eagle fullback Harlie Adams was named to the Class AA All-State football team selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association. Quarterback Charles Neblett was listed as honorable mention to the starring team.

Adams, the leading scorer in the district, chalked up 24 touchdowns in the 12-game season. A wheelhorse on the ground, the 168-pound senior made a total of 1222 yards on 207 carries, averaging 5.9 yards every time he carried the ball.

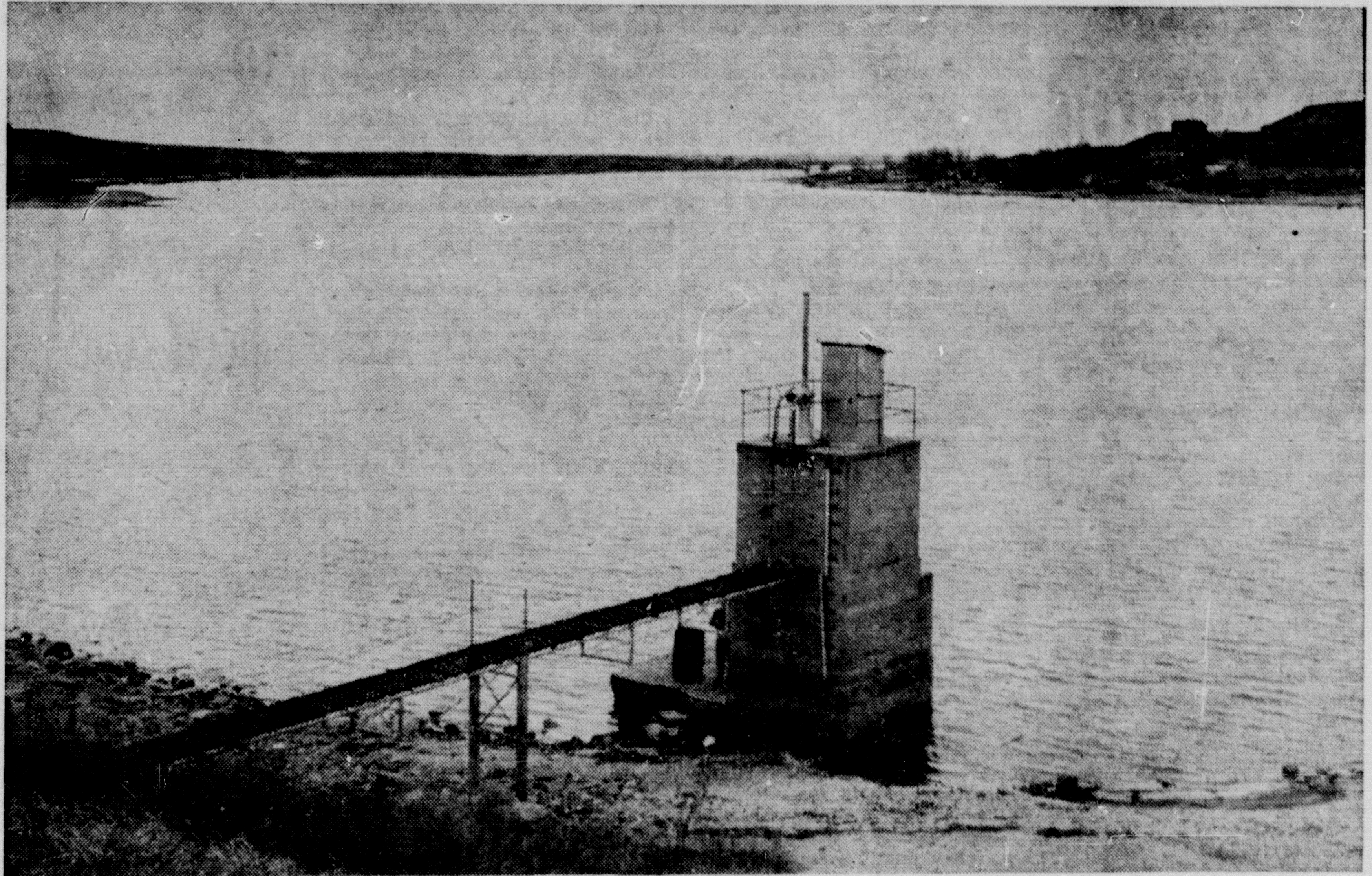
In addition he caught nine passes for 181 yards and scored on three of the passes. He even threw two passes, completing one for 17 yards.

During the season, Adams lacked only seven points scoring as many as all of the dozen opponents. His rushing yards total was some 700 less than the yards made by the opponents.

Neblett, held out of play during almost all the season by injuries, picked up 42 points during the season from three touchdowns and 24 extra points. He kicked 24 out of 36 attempts.

The senior quarterback passed for seven more touchdowns. During the 12 games he threw the ball 81 times, completed 29 passes, had eight intercepted and his passing was good for 512 yards.

Neblett caught one pass, racing 80 yards for a score. He carried the ball 54 times and made 238 yards. He punted seven times for 217 yards, averaging 31 yards per kick.



With luck, Canyon may some day be able to secure Buffalo Lake as a source of supply for the city water system.

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Start Campaign for Polio Funds

The March of Dimes Drive began Jan. 2 with the campaign theme "Let's Finish the Job!"

The goal for the drive is Salk vaccine for adults — particularly teenagers and young adults from ages 14 to 45, a group which the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis estimates is 97,000,000 persons.

The national campaign center and the country drive center, headed by Dr. R. P. Jarrett, permanent chairman, and George Blackwell, 1957 drive chairman, are urging not only children but adults to begin the three shot series now before the "polio season" arrives.

The first shot taken in January would be followed by the second three weeks later, but the third would not come until September. There is plenty of vaccine for everyone.

The State Health Department of Texas estimated that almost 30 percent of the polio cases reported in 1956 had occurred in persons over 14 years of age.

According to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, polio hits adults even harder, as a rule, than it does children. When it moves against grownups, it leaves a bigger proportion of breathing trouble. Seven out of 10 respiratory patients today are 20 or older. There is also a larger percentage of damage to the brain stem, bulbar involvement, in the upper age group.

The Boy Scouts have placed coin collectors around town. The Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a pancake supper Jan. 25 in the American Legion Hall, proceeds for the March of Dimes.

What does the foundation plan to do with funds such as these? According to a report from the foundation, there are four main objectives.

One objective is patient aid including the search for improved treatment techniques and respiratory and rehabilitation centers. Research workers who are studying drugs for possible use against polio are hoping the few leads toward drugs for polio will lead to successful drug treatment of many diseases.

The third objective is training of specialists — researchers and experts in the care of the disabled.

Fourth, the foundation plans funds for polio prevention. The report from the foundation said, "Out of 1957 March of Dimes funds, $10,000,000 will be allocated to encourage polio vaccination for all and to assist those families who cannot afford to pay for it without help and for whom other funds are not available."

Poll Tax Sales Lagging Behind

When it comes time to vote this year, there won't be many Randall County citizens who will be eligible.

Early this week, only 1099 poll tax receipts had been issued. Last year, at the end of January, 7573 receipts had been given to voters.

Poll taxes must be paid by Jan. 31. A poll tax receipt is required from all voters before balloting except those legally due exemptions.

Overage voters who live in a city of 10,000 or more must secure an exemption certificate before voting. Those who live outside a city of that size may vote without a certificate.

Club To Plant Corner of Park

The Canyon City Commission accepted a proposal Monday night for the Junior Woman's Book Club to beautify the corner of Conner Park that contains the memorial to the dead of World War II.

The club proposes to plant "a few perennials and some annuals" in the area, and requested the city to plant grass in the bare spots.

Included on the list of plants that will be put out are three Peace rose bushes, tulip and jonquil bulbs and annual flowers at a later date. The club said it would tend to watering until the plants take hold, and the city will water the area after that while watering the rest of the park.

The club asked to be allowed to help beautify the park early in the fall, but no action was taken by the city commission until a specific proposal had been requested from the club.

Roughage Program Opened for 5 Days

The roughage program has been reopened in Randall County for a short period, the FHA notified the county Monday.

Applications for roughage will be received in the County Agent's office until 5 p. m. Friday. The period for which the program was reopened was from Monday until Friday.

County Agent John Brazzil said all applications must be in his office by closing time Friday in order to be eligible.

Reese Requests Taylor Clearing

Expressway Engineer Byron Reese appeared before the Randall County Commissioners Court Monday with a request that the foundation and concrete floor remaining after the removal of Taylor and Sons old store building be cleared.

He asked that the debris be removed in a week or so in order to be ready for the contractor when his machinery is moved to that area for work.

After questioning, Reese said the contractor is removing foundations and clearing sites inside the city limits of Amarillo, but did not know any reason for the discrimination. He said that he had the contractor's force clear one site along the route of the expressway just north of Canyon, and the contractor, Ivan Dement, is complaining that such work is not in his contract.

Reese told the commissioners he would prefer that the state contractor handle the removal of foundations, since the contractor has equipment to handle such work and neither the highway department nor the county has heavy enough equipment.

The commissioners inspected the Taylor and Sons site and decided to begin removal work as soon as possible, using county equipment.

Jaycees Given Three Charters

Three charters were presented to the newly organized Canyon Jaycees at a charter banquet Tuesday night in the elementary school all purpose room.

Odell Heatherton of Ralls, a director of the U. S. Jaycees, presented the charters to Canyon president Charles Parks. The charters were from the Texas Jaycees, U. S. Jaycees and Jaycee International.

Gerald Sanders of Lubbock, a state vice president, told the audience of the work of Jaycees, the goals and the aim of the organization.

Jim Ferguson of Amarillo, another state vice president, installed the new officers of the Canyon club. The officers, in addition to Parks, are Bill Lusk, first vice president, Wayne Wirt, second vice president, Wayland Carman, secretary-treasurer, Jerry LaGrone, state director, Jim Bickers, Bill Henry and Lindsey Taylor, members of the board of directors.

Toastmaster for the banquet was Joe Ed Sullivan. Musical entertainment was by Joanne Hill and Fawayne Murphy, senior students at West Texas, and Joe Mack Hill played the piano during the dinner hour.

The Rev. H. Doyle Ragle offered the invocation and the Rev. T. Winston Wilbanks gave the benediction. Hostesses were Nelda Coffee, Charlotte Crain and Betty Kay Gibbs.

It was announced during the banquet that the new club had 63 members a week ago and has probably exceeded 70 by the time of the banquet.

Tax Collection Nearing Close

Tax collection for Randall County and Canyon Independent School District is nearing the point of maximum return, while the City of Canyon is running about 15 per cent behind them.

Taxes not paid by Jan. 31 become delinquent and carry a penalty when finally paid.

Both the county and school tax offices said their collections are between 79 and 80 per cent complete. The city's collections were 65 per cent on Jan. 1.

The county and school district offer discounts on taxes paid before Jan. 1. Payments during January are at full rate. The city does not offer a discount.

Randall County Junior Livestock Show Set January 19 at Canyon City Barns

The Randall County Junior Livestock Show will be held Jan. 19 beginning at 8:30 a. m. at the City Barns. Entry blanks must be in the hands of the Department Superintendents by Monday.

In addition to the livestock show this year, the association will sponsor a grass identification contest in cooperation with the Randall-Potter Soil Conservation District.

The contest will be set up in the barn housing the calves at 1 p. m. Jan. 18. Appropriate prizes will be awarded to the winners, and contestants need not be exhibitors in the livestock show. In addition, adults may go through the contest, but will not be considered for prizes.

The contest will be on an individual basis, and both identification and characteristics of the grasses shown will be required of contestants. A list of grasses that could be included in the contest are available from the county agent or vocational agriculture teachers. The grasses in the contest will be taken from the list.

Superintendent of the Beef Cattle Department is Bruce Winn. John Cook is superintendent of the Swine Department, and Newton Crain is superintendent of the Sheep Department.

J. O. Parker is president of the Randall County Junior Livestock Association.

Clyde Warwick Falls Breaks Right Hip

Clyde W. Warwick fell Monday morning breaking his right hip. He is in Neblett Hospital where he is making satisfactory progress. Mr. and Mrs. Warwick returned from Mineral Wells Thursday.

Administration To Ask Congress For Disposal Survey Authority

Hopes that the City of Canyon might obtain the use of Buffalo Lake water for a long-range solution to the problem of water supply were raised here when the Eisenhower administration announced that it plans to ask Congress for authority to dispose of lands purchased during the 1930's to protect the acreage from the abuses of over-cultivation, grazing and timber cutting.

The Buffalo Lake reservation is the only such land purchased in Randall County under the plan, officially titled "Land Utilization Projects." The reservation include about 11¾ sections.

The administration is seeking authority to survey the lands purchased in the 1930's to see which might be disposed of without danger of misuse. The 20-year-old law prohibits the sale, exchange or long-term lease of any of the land to private owners. Transfer to state conservation agencies is permitted.

The dam at Buffalo Lake was built 18 years ago, and water has run over the spillway twice, in 1941 and in 1951. Original plans called for the dam to be 47 feet high and the spillway 37 feet.

Construction work on the dam went so fast, that enough funds were left to make the dam 57 feet high. The spillway was left at 37 feet.

Original plans were that the lake would be 1¾ miles wide at its widest point when the water was at spillway level. It would be some six miles long.

The dam was built 300 feet wide at the bottom and 16 feet wide at the top.

Since the City of Canyon is downstream from the lake, it is believed that water from the lake would flow by gravity to a point near the city. In that case, the cost of obtaining water from the lake would be lessened because less pumping equipment would be needed.

Construction on the dam at Buffalo Lake began just before Christmas, 1937, following a full year's work in promoting the idea of dams to hold rain water where it falls. W. A. Warren is credited with much of the spade work in the project.

The dam was finished for all practical purposes in May, 1938, and most of the work left at that time was in beautifying the lake shore and adding recreational facilities.

The Buffalo Lake reservation includes 7,626.93 acres, for which the federal government paid $136,161—an average of $17.85 an acre. The lake itself probably covers not much more than 1800 acres when at spillway level.

If the City of Canyon were to obtain title to the lake and its water, the rights of downstream land owners would have to be honored.

The city commission has attempted for the past several years to obtain water from Buffalo Lake through Congressional action.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chandler of Borger are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McAtee. Mr. Chandler will undergo surgery at Neblett Hospital.

Rites Conducted For Cecil Bible

Funeral services for Cecil Bible were conducted Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church by the Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the church.

Burial was in Memory Gardens cemetery. Pallbearers were Luke Miller, M. E. Rhoads, Aaron Cummins, Milton Sanders, George Stevens and Clifford Stevens.

Mr. Bible died Dec. p9 at home. Survivors include his wife, two sons, four daughters, three brothers, 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. Myrtle Parker Dies in Hospital

Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle Evelyn Parker of Tucumcari, mother of J. O. Parker of Canyon, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the First Christian Church in Tucumcari by the pastor, the Rev. Emil J. Moore, assisted by the Rev. Millard Murphey, pastor of the Tucumcari Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Parker, 67, died in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo some 10 days after suffering injuries in an automobile accident near Vega.

Mrs. Parker and her daughter, Bertha Parker, were traveling from Amarillo to Tucumcari when their car hit ice on the pavement and overturned. Miss Parker was not injured, but Mrs. Parker suffered breaks in both her legs, and later suffered a paralytic stroke.

Mrs. Parker had lived in Tucumcari since 1902.

In addition to her son in Canyon and her daughter, survivors include another daughter, Dr. Ivy M. Parker, Atlanta, Ga.; three other sons, Ira Parker, Tucumcari, Droy Parker, Cuero, and Aaron Parker, Campo, Colo.; two sisters, Mrs. Sadie Dye, Chandler, Okla., and Mrs. Florence Stone, Electra; a brother, W. R. Peggram, Quail, and 10 grandchildren.

Mrs. Ida Sullins Dies in Hereford

Final rites for Mrs. Ida Florence Sullins, grandmother of Addie Lamon Sullins of Canyon, were conducted Friday afternoon in Hereford by the Rev. Arthur Carlson and the Rev. Howard Scott.

Burial was in West Park Cemetery in Hereford.

Mrs. Sullins, 86, died last Wednesday in her home in Hereford. She was born July 9, 1877, in Tennessee, and had lived in Texas since 1900.

Others surviving include a grandson, R. A. Sullins, Hereford, and a brother, Almer Sauls, Toledo, Ohio.

New Fire Heads

Elected to head the Canyon Fire Department for 1957 were Bill Sternenberg, left, fire chief, Truett Hull, assistant fire chief, Clarence E. Thompson, secretary-treasurer, and Bud Parker, president. Not pictured is Louie Davis, vice president.

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Volunteer Fire Department Reorganizes With Bill Sternenberg as Fire Chief

Bill Sternenberg was elected fire chief of the Canyon Volunteer Fire Department at the regular annual meeting last week.

Also elected for the coming year were Bud Parker, president, Louie Davis, vice president, and Clarence E. Thompson, secretary-treasurer. Truett Hull was elected assistant fire chief.

Outgoing officers are Paul Lindsey, fire chief, A. C. Haley Jr., president, Worth Jennings, vice president, Jack Jennings, secretary-treasurer, and Roland Hicks, assistant fire chief.

Five who were on the waiting list were added to active membership. They were Max Bosley, Melton Sorgee, Alfred Daniel, L. G. Johnston and Carrol Vaughan.

EDITORIAL

Views and Comments

Members of the legislative committee of the Texas Press Association have prepared a list of recommended bills to be submitted to this session of the state legislature. As might be expected, these bills deal with the work of the newspapers of the state, but they are also designed to help cure evils that exist in the state—especially evils that public officials in Duval County were involved in.

The first suggested bill would require that each insurance company doing business in the state publish a financial statement twice yearly on call of the Board of Insurance Commissioners, just as banks must do, and to list each licensed agent of the company in each county. The second bill, a companion one, would make it a felony for any official of an insurance company to publish a false statement or a statement with some false information.

The two bills are designed to give the public useful information about insurance companies and might help prevent such things as the insurance scandals during the past couple of years.

To help prevent a recurrence of the Veteran's Land Board mess, the third suggested bill would require that each person who applies for the purchase of land under the veteran's land act would be required to publish certain information about the sale—who is purchasing the land, what it will cost, who is selling the land and where it is located. That way everyone could quickly tell if someone is trying to defraud the state.

The fourth bill being recommended is one that looks to me like some of the publishers are trying to feather their own nests. It would require cities to publish the full text of all ordinances which are now required to be published in any form. Right now, some ordinances can be published only by title, while others must be published in full.

It seems to me that any newspaper worthy of public trust would make it a standing practice to explain fully any ordinance that the city plans to pass. Requiring full publication would create needless expense to the city, I believe.

The fifth suggested bill is also aimed at Duval County. It would make it a misdemeanor for any public official to refuse to allow public records to be inspected by any citizen. It would also make any such official guilty of official misconduct for which he shall be removed from office. Down in Duval, and in some other places according to the TPA, public officials have refused to open the public records to public inspection.

The sixth recommended bill is aimed at Duval County specifically, also. It gives the district attorney of Travis County concurrent jurisdiction in any indictment or prosecution of anyone charged with misappropriation, embezzlement, swindling, receiving or concealing of any public money, funds or property. The bill fixes it up so that anyone accused of such a crime could be tried away from the county where the offense is alleged to have occurred.

During the Duval County trials it was awfully hard to get convictions because grand juries and even petit juries were stacked with friends of those who were accused of stealing public money. This bill would let such cases be moved to Austin for trial.

The publishers recommended for bill No. 7 that certain officials be responsible for publishing the various notices required by law and provided that if they neglected their duty they could be forced to forfeit one month's salary for each time they didn't have a notice published and could be removed from office,

Bill No. 8 provides that any public official could be removed from office if he pleads the Fifth Amendment when questioned about any part of his official duties or his performance of them. The bill would not deny an official the right to use the Fifth Amendment about his personal life, but it would deprive him of that right about his official conduct in public office. It is believed that refusal to answer questions about official conduct in public office is inconsistent of the honor and trust of public office.

The ninth suggested legislative measure adds this sentence to the portion of the election code that deals with precinct, county and state political party conventions. "Representatives of newspapers shall have the right to attend precinct conventions, the county conventions, and the State convention for the purpose of reporting the proceedings thereof." At present, the law is not clear if newspaper reporters can attend the various conventions and in some cases they have been barred.

The publishers recommended that a special audit of county records could be ordered by the district judge if a petition of at least 30 per cent of the qualified voters in the county is presented. The bill, numbered 10 in the list of the TPA, would provide that the judge could order the audit, employ the auditor, fix the amount to be paid the auditor and receive the final report. The bill is another aimed at Duval County, where no audit had been made for 40 years although citizens had often asked for one.

The 11th bill recommended is one I am very definitely in favor of. It provides that all official meetings of every city, county, county commissioners court and every board, commission and agency of whatever kind in the state shall be a public meeting and shall be open to the public at all times. It fixes a fine of $100 to $1000 for holding a closed or secret meeting and provides that any official in such a meeting can be removed from office.

In Canyon I have never been denied admission to a meeting of any of the three official bodies here, the county commissioners, the city commission and the school board, and I don't feel I ever will be. But such things happen close to home. Only a little over a year ago, the city commission of Dumas granted a telephone rate increase behind locked doors. That should never have happened, and would not with this law in effect.

The 12th suggested bill is also aimed at Duval County and would require publication of an annual financial statement for each school district, junior college district, soil conservation district, road district or other such district.

For bill No. 13, the TPA suggested that county or district attorneys be required to sue for repayment of money or property misappropriated by any officer or employee. As you can see, it is recommended to stop such things as happened in Duval County, and to make sure the suit is started, it gives concurrent jurisdiction to Travis County.

To aid the 12th suggested bill, No. 14 would allow the state commission of education to stop payment of state funds to school districts which do not publish and file audits as required.

The 15th suggested bill would make it unlawful to take any public record out of the place where it is deposited with the intent to destroy, change or hide it. That's another Duval County bill.

The suggested bills are a pretty good lot, I feel, with the possible exception of the one on city ordinances, and I'll try to keep up with them in the legislature and see what happens to them. They will have different numbers when they are introduced. If you feel that any of them should be passed, let Sen. Hazlewood and Rep. Springer know.—BC

Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD
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Conflict, complications and suspense made 1956 one of Texas' newsiest years. Many of the biggest stories didn't run out with the calendar. They're marked "to be continued in 1957."

These were some of the headline-makers:

POLITICS wore everyone to a frazzle. Gov. Allan Shivers took his first political tumble when Sen. Lyndon Johnson won control of the May Democratic convention. Price Daniel won over Ralph Yarborough for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in a narrowest-ever margin of a little more than 3,000 votes.

Daniel gained shaky party control by getting a mostly-friendly executive committee at the September Democratic convention. But he held on to the Senate seat too long. Governor Shivers wouldn't buy the election-now, resign-later plan. And Shivers came to the end of his historic seven-year tenure as leader of the again-triumphant Democrats for Eisenhower.

DROUGHT, in its seventh year, grew steadily worse. Crops burned up. Streams stopped flowing. Reservoirs dwindled. State Water Board had its hands full trying to referee squabbles over water rights. Agricultural groups banded together in the Texas Drought Emergency Committee finally gained expanded federal relief. All but five of Texas' 254 counties were designated disaster areas.

Texas Water Resources Committee, a legislative study group, put in a lot of overtime readying a statewide water program for the next legislature. Suggestions: a $100,000,000 bond program to help finance local projects, fishing and boat taxes to buy water storage space in federal reservoirs, "rain-making" research at Texas colleges.

FEDERAL LEGISLATION had Texas repercussions. Eisenhower supporters groaned when he vetoed the natural gas bill. But the federal highway building bill passed. It means $57,000,000 a year more for Texas road building. Texas Highway Department started using it at once, predicted an era of unparalleled progress.

To move things faster, it reversed its long-time policy, is now buying right-of-way for interstate roads. This brought a new head-acre — a hue and cry from county officials for help in buying land for state highways.

INTEGRATION VS. SEGREGATION made news on many fronts. Voters overwhelmingly approved three pro-segregation interposition referendums in the July primary. But no one was sure what would come of them. At Mansfield and Texarkana citizens blocked efforts at federal court-ordered school integration, and Governor Shivers sent Texas Rangers to maintain order.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd took on the NAACP in a Tyler district court and won a temporary order banning the organization in Texas.

INVESTIGATION by legislative committees into US Trust and Guaranty Co's $7,000,000 downfall brought demands for new lobby laws, controls on legislators' dealings with state agencies. US Trust's many creditors are still unpaid. It's all tied up in their numerous lawsuits for priorities.

INSURANCE INDUSTRY underwent a statewide solvency check. Seven per cent, out of more than 1,300, failed to qualify for new licenses.

POLIO VACCINE restrictions were completely removed in late summer. But with plenty for everyone, an indifferent public let vaccine supplies stack up. Some 80 per cent went unvaccinated. Unless interest increases, Texas will have to return nearly half of the state's $3,000,000 federal vaccine allocation when the fiscal year runs out next June.

Business Level Holds

Capital expansion, the building of new and growth of old industries, has kept Texas' 1956 business index at its 1955 high.

University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported the 1956 11-months total as the same as 1955. Rapid industrial expansion has kept the average up, says the bureau.

It offset declines in residential building, consumer spending and farm employment.

Crop Value Down

Value of Texas' 1956 crops is estimated at $1,100,000,000 — nine per cent below last year and the 10-year average.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture said reduced production is due to drouth, acreage restrictions and the soil bank plan.

Increased irrigation accounted for some bright spots. Per-acre yield of cotton was the highest on record — 278 pounds. But dry-land farming reached new lows. Corn crop of 27.4 million bushels was the shortest since 1873. Sorghum, with half the total acreage irrigated, produced 124 million bushels, fourth largest crop in history.

Other reports: rice, smallest crop since 1949; wheat, double last year's crop, but half the 10-year average; peanuts, smallest crop since 1934; oats, 19 per cent under last year; barley, about average; hay and forage, about two-thirds of average; commercial vegetables, up 16 per cent from last year.

Oil Record Predicted

1956 and continued heavy demands for the first quarter of '57 are foreseen for the Texas oil industry.

Texas Railroad Commission pegs 1956 production at 1,075,829,000 barrels, an increase of more than 54 million barrels or 5.3 per cent over 1955.

A Commission report said closing of the Suez Canal seems likely to be reflected in two ways: 1) decreased importing of oil into the U. S. and 2) increased demand by other countries for U. S. oil. Both would mean heavier demands on the Texas industry.

But, it noted, above-ground storage of gasoline stocks is still "quite excessive."

Whodunit?

Austin city officials promise evone, set fire to O. Henry's Honeyone, set fier to O. Henry's Honeymoon House.

People over the state and nation took sides in the local fight over the house where the famed short story writer took his bride. History-lovers moved it to a residential-area park, planned to make a shrine.

But nearby homeowners howled. They called the 80-year-old frame cottage a "pile of junk." Suit was filed to have it removed from the neighborhood.

Then a swift, nighttime blaze completely destroyed the house. It wasn't likely accidental, said Austin's fire marshal, but probably set by some mischief-maker taking advantage of the already-heated controversy.

Short Snorts

Leonard Mohrmann has been named public information officer for the Texas League of Municipalities. For the past four years Mohrmann has been administrative assistant to Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey.

Texas Employment Commission's latest report shows many of the state's industrial workers taking home bigger pay checks. Some weekly averages: in apparel and fabrics, $41.06; stone, clay and glass, $69.97; metal products, $76.43; chemicals, $98.52; petroleum and coal products, $106.27.

Austin State Hospital has improved tremendously in the past six months, reports Dr. David C. Gaede of Washington, D. C., president of the American Psychiatric Association. He made an intensive survey of the hospital's operation last April. His follow-up report noted substantial increases in trained personnel and many added services.

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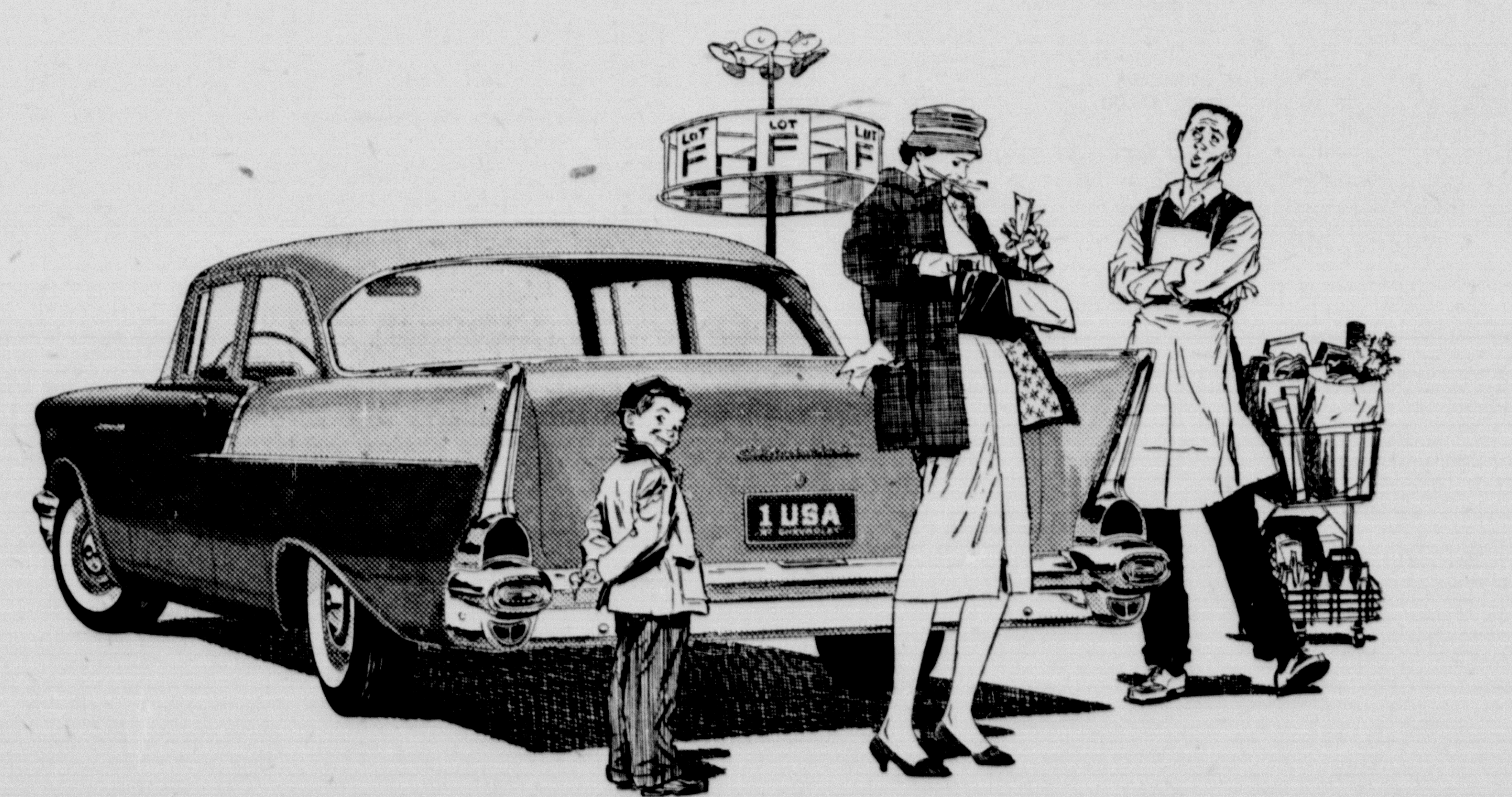
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NEWS LETTER

FROM CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS OF THE 18TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Administrative vs. Legislative

Two branches of the Federal Government are eyeing each other like strange dogs. Although on the surface everything is very friendly and cordial, both branches are sleeping with one eye open so to speak, the big question being: will the Administration be first to announce its program for the coming two years, or will the Congress act first and announce a program of its own?

It must be remembered that the three branches of this Government — The Administrative, the Legislative and the Judicial — constitute the tripod upon which this Government must rest. The branches are separate, distinct and independent of each other. To subject one branch to the control of another would be like breaking one leg of a three-legged stool.

Therefore, it is much healthier for the Government that the Legislative and the Administrative Branches keep a watchful eye on each other and provide the safeguard intended by the Constitution. Otherwise, these two branches could become so interwoven that the very strength and purpose of the three branches of Government, so indispensable in maintaining a democratic form of government, could be lost.

Actually it makes little difference who first advocates or pronounces a program for the next two years. Unless there is a definite change from the happenings of the past, which is not expected, the 85th Congress will have plenty of issues, plenty of proposals and plenty of needed legislation to work on.

Whether it is proposed by the President as a part of his program or by the opposition party in the Congress should be of little consequence. The deciding factor should be whether or not the legislation is needed by the country as a whole.

It should not be determined on a strictly party political basis either by the President or by the Congress. It should not be decided simply because it might appeal to some minority group.

It should not be decided because it might furnish a needed vehicle to control a large bloc of votes.

Many members of Congress, both Democrats and Republicans, are wondering today what the President will ask for on certain subjects, but seem to be especially anxious concerning the highly explosive Taft-Hartley Act.

It will be remembered that there are those who have demanded the outright repeal of this Act. There areare others who staunchly support the Act in its present form. The third group, and the one led by the present Administration, advocates amending the Act.

The mystery lies in the fact that the Administration has not yet said what amendments it has in mind, and in what manner it wishes to change the Act. Several members of the Congress have indicated to me that the Administration's recommendations on the subject will be in the nature of advocating an expansion of the federal laws to include many additional people under the maximum hour work-week and the minimum pay requirements.

If this is done, it will be an amendment to the Fair Labor Standards Act rather than an amendment to the Taft-Hartley Act. Such action would also require the Federal Government to extend its power and control directly and indirectly into transactions that are now wholly within the jurisdiction of the several states.

Another item causing concern has to do with another natural gas bill. The talk here is that the President doesn't want to recommend a gas bill, but will not veto it again if it passes the Congress; that the Members of Congress do not want to initiate a new gas bill unless the President requests it, the reason being that the entire gas situation was misrepresented.

The people in the big cities were led to believe that the owners of the gas in Texas and elsewhere would get large, fat profits at the expense of the poor consumers. Although this was not the case at all, the argument was used in many political campaigns in the East and Middle West.

The truth is that the consumer is paying a high price for gas, but it is not going to the producer. The producer gets approximately 8 cents per unit from the pipeline.

The pipeline carries the gas to the large cities and sells it to the utility companies for approximately 35 cents per unit. The utility companies then sell it to the consumer for various prices ranging up to $2.89 per unit. It is unfortunate that the whole truth is not told in legislation of this kind.

The misrepresentation results in the natural resources in one section of our country being removed, under federal rules and regulations, to other sections of the country at a disproportionate low price to to the owners of the natural resources. Yet the same natural resources are sold to the consumers at a disproportionate high price.

The one who has to pay the disproportionate high price blames his plight on the one who receives the disproportionate low price. Let us hope that we get this dilemma cleared up during this session.

The limited space available makes it impossible to discuss more than these two examples at this time but it will give you some idea of what we can look forward to in the 85th Congress.

Tax-Man Sam Sez:

The tax folks spend a lot of time sending back income tax returns that Papa signs and forgets to have Mama sign. If the return is a joint return, Papa and Mama are both responsible and both have to sign. Prepare your tax return and both sign it, if it is a joint return, now. It may be to your advantage to file early.

Vanilla, in its natural states, is a long green bean.

Wayside News

The Rev. Fred Porter of San Diego, Calif., filled the fifth Sunday pulpit and delivered a good message.

Mrs. Charles Kennedy had an automatic washing machine installed New Year's Day.

Linder Hagains and children, Charles and Loretta, of Amarillo, were dinner guests in the W. R. Franklin home Monday.

Leah Beth and John Franklin spent part of the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hall and children moved to Amarillo New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamblen spent New Year's Eve and New Year's Day in the Clifford Stewart home near Dawn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denny, Mary Kate and Mike spent New Year's in the Pinky Denny home in Bartlesville, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schrib, Patsy, Nancy and Jimmie, were Floydada visitors last Sunday.

Mrs. Milton and Mary Brown of Dallas spent New Year's weekend in the W. R. Stockett home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stockett were visiting Mrs. Mary Jenkins and Merle Friday. They found Merle laid up with a sprained knee at their home in Canyon.

Edison invented the flash light in 1914.

Ships weigh less when traveling east than when traveling west.

Iodine is obtained chiefly from kelp or ashes of burnt seaweed.

Fly's wings vibrate 330 times a second.

LIPSTICK LOGIC
BY LOUISE ALLEN

If we could take a pair of field glasses and look back over 1956, what would we find?

We might walk out to that little mound of quietness we view from the window of every day, and make a try. First, we'd adjust the sights — close-up for last week, infinity for last January.

Would the tiny deeds of goodness or the small sins of forgetfulness magnify more clearly? Would we see what we meant to do, or what we actually accomplished?

As we focussed on that farthest yesterday, no doubt, we'd find several promises still gathering dust on the shelves of good intention: unwritten letters, unmade telephone calls, undelivered messages, unfinished plans. But alongside these should be a sizable stack of emergencies well met, of hasty words we did not speak, of bitternesses forgotten.

Lines and arrows like those on a battle map would mark our progress through the months of 1956. The line of community service might stand out clear and strong; that of church work, or social life, might appear bold then faint, wavering from too-much to too-little then back again. The line of family relations might run smooth and straight throughout the year.

Wasted hours, fruitless longing, injured feelings? These would be balanced by precious hours spent with loved ones, quick flashes of understanding between friends, rare moments of beauty that hastened by like brilliant birds of passage in the sun.

Viewed in perspective, through the binoculars of memory, the year 1956 — like every other spent in America — was what we made it. For 1957, the privileges of freedom are equally great, limited only by our will to do.

During the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reid visited in Yuma, Ariz., with their daughter and her family. Their daughter, the former Virginia Reid, is married to Capt. Harold Borrego and they have one son, Mick.

Jennings Dress Shop has moved and is now open for business in their new location at 1505 4th Avenue next door to the M. E. Moses store. They wish to invite all of their friends to visit their new store.

We wish to thank all of our friends for their past patronage and solicit your future business.
—Adv.

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IN CANYON

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ASSETS		
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		$ 935,485.59
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		1,577,658.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		78,760.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		100,000.00
Corporate stocks (including $6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)		6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $5,179.20 overdrafts)		2,681,887.14
Bank premises owned $56,000.00, furniture and fixtures $33,000.00		89,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$5,468,790.73
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		$3,935,764.11
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		75,074.28
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		1,009,311.14
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		22,560.64
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$5,042,710.17	
Other liabilities		53,328.39
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$5,096,038.56
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital Stock:		
Common stock, par $100,000.00		$ 100,000.00
Surplus		100,000.00
Undivided profits		150,252.17
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)		22,500.00
Total Capital Accounts		372,752.17
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts		$5,468,790.73
MEMORANDA		
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes		$1,097,000.00

I, L. W. Cole, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. W. Cole, President.

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1957, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Arthur C. Haley Jr., Notary Public
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Internal Revenue Lists Reasons Why Tax Returns Must be Audited

This is the first in a series of 12 articles prepared by the Internal Revenue Service to assist taxpayers in avoiding tax errors that cause "Pre-Refund Audits." Every year when income tax returns are filed, approximately 60% of the taxpayers are due a refund check from Uncle Sam.

However, some of these tax returns must be audited before the taxpayers can receive their tax refund checks. These audits are called "Pre-Refund Audits" and are necessary because the returns contain questionable items. The "Pre-Refund Audits" begin in January and go through Sept. 30.

If your return has questionable items, then you will probably be notified that your return must be audited before your refund check can be mailed to you.

Many of the "Pre-Refund Audit" returns were examined because of erroneous dependency reductions. Here are the 13 most common reasons for the Internal Revenue Service having to disallow a dependent:

(1) The dependent had gross income of $600 or more during the year and was not the taxpayer's child, who was either a full time student or was under 19 years of age at the close of the taxable year.

(2) The dependent was not a close relative and did not live in the taxpayer's home as a member of his household for the entire taxable year.

(3) Cousins and other lateral relatives most distant than nephew or niece are not close relatives as defined in the Internal Revenue Code.

(4) The dependent filed a joint return with his husband or wife.

(5) The taxpayer did not substantiate that he furnished more than 50% of the dependent's total support for the entire year.

(6) The taxpayer failed to substantiate that the dependent's gross income for the taxable year was less than $600.

(7) The taxpayer failed to furnish multiple support statement from all the other persons who contributed over 10% of the total support of the dependent.

(8) The dependency credit was not allowed under the multiple support provisions of the Internal Revenue Code since the taxpayer did not furnish over 10% of the total support of the dependent.

(9) The dependent was not allowed because another taxpayer furnished more than 50% of the dependent's total support for the year.

(10) The dependent was neither a citizen of the U. S. nor a resident of the U. S., Canada, Mexico, Panama Canal Zone or the Republic of Panama.

(11) The taxpayer did not furnish information to substantiate the dependency credit even though he was given ample opportunity to do so.

(12) The dependency credit was claimed on the return of another taxpayer. Two taxpayers may not be allowed the dependency credit for the same person.

(13) The amount contributed by the taxpayer may not be considered as support for the dependent only, because the contribution was made to the family of which the dependent is a member. The total contribution would be considered to have been contributed to each member of the family on a pro-rata basis. Therefore, it could not be concluded that the taxpayer contributed more than 50% of the support of any one member of that family.

These 13 errors were made by thousands of taxpayers. The Internal Revenue Service was required by law to correct the taxpayer's return by disallowing the dependent, and to reduce the refund claimed by the appropriate amount. Read your tax instructions carefully before you file your return.

In the next article in this series we discuss the reasons for disallowing travel and transportation expenses claimed by taxpayers.

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The Canyon News

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Bosley announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cecelia, to Roy F. Hayhurst of Tulia, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hayhurst. The wedding will take place in the Joseph A. Hill Chapel in Canyon Saturday, Jan. 12.

Mrs. Coffee Presents Students in Recital

Mrs. Herschel Coffee is presenting her pupils in a recital on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 13, at 3 o'clock in the elementary school auditorium.

Those who will be heard are Phillip Huckaba, Maron McBroom, Janis Miller, Deborah Wirt, Stephen Hines, Holly Jo Troth, Cynthia Gerald, Audrey Lee Teague, Linda Metcalf, Katherine Townsend, Sandra Kay Ellis, Toni Langston, Stephen Langston, Nancy Bonds, Loretta Bonds, Jackie Stone, Trudy Mae Johnson, Sherry Killingsworth and Linda Salmon.

All who are interested are invited.

Priscilla Club Meets With Mrs. Daugherty

The Priscilla Club met Jan. 2 in the home of Mrs. Madison Daugherty for sewing and visiting.

Those enjoying a dessert course were Mrs. Earnest Brown, Mrs. Hud Prichard, Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. S. B. Loudder, Mrs. Bill Crow, Mrs. Dudley Moore, Sr., Mrs. Ray McReynolds, Mrs. R. A. Hodges, Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. Frank Morgan, Mrs. I. F. SoRelle, Mrs. Bill Downing and Mrs. Ada Wood.

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L. W. COLE,
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By DOVIE CHERRY

Fellow housewifes, do you sometimes feel your life is a continual stack of dirty dishes, a dreary stack of unironed clothes and as unexciting as a ring around the bathtub? Or, alas, as shiny with glamour as the bottom of a soiled garbage can?

Yes? Well, then renew heart. There are sympathetic broom pushers (look, bud, I said push not ride) on your island of desperation.

At least there are 16 such souls and . . . hum, what a messy kitchen, make that number 17. Need I add, there must be more. Where there is work, there is weary woe.

Ironing is the booger bear. Actually the dislikes were greatly varied for such a small percentage of Canyon women, but six disliked this household duty most. Or to take a positive attitude, liked it least. Which is all a lot of hullabaloo to say, "You can take it back to the washline."

Mrs. J. A. Hutto, Mrs. C. C. Shelnutt, Mrs. Joe Winstead, Mrs. Don Vance, Mrs. A. C. Wimberley and Mrs. S. L. Terry don't exactly find ironing a joy. (Don't be ashamed that I told, this may get you a big, wonderful ironer.)

"It's a tiresome thing to do," said Mrs. Hutto, and without it she thinks everything would be mighty nice. She finds ironing twice a week, Monday and Friday, keeps her family, three children, supplied with clothes.

"Seems like I always get behind," said Bettie Wimberly, who squeezes ironing in at night between studying. A student at WT, she washes between classes on Tuesday, slicks up the house on Saturday and the rest of the time she has nothing to do but work in the afternoons at the City Hall.

Mrs. Shelnutt, who works at Bellah's Super Market, finds little time for ironing. Mrs. Winstead doesn't think ironing would be such a chore if she could do it and not be interrupted. Just getting started is the hard part for Mrs. Vance who said housekeeping is not such a bad lot and that she doesn't really mind anything but ironing.

Mrs. Terry feels she is "killing time" when ironing that could be used doing something else.

What's the second detestable? Cooking it seems. Mrs. Darrell Truitt, secretary to high school principal J. E. Miller, and part-time student, and Mrs. Terry and Mrs. M. D. Shepherd find cooking a "chore." Planning the meals is the part Mrs. Shepherd finds detestable. "Something everyday . . . something different everyday," she said.

Now if I embarrassed you by telling that you didn't like cooking, I can't promise a hired cook.

And then there're dishes . . . lots of them. If there were pots of gold at the end of those soapy rainbows in the dishpan, Mrs. J. E. Flynn and Mrs. C. Callarman would never wash another dish.

"It's so futile . . . you just get through and then start all over again," said Mrs. Callarman. Procrastination is the pitfall for Mrs. Flynn. Getting in the kitchen and doing the job is what she believes is her problem.

That still leaves lots of other work to do around the house. Vacuuming for instance. Mrs. Conway Kuykendall likes this task not at all. "I hate to get out all the attachments," she said.

Mrs. Don Cheyne doesn't like to vacuum either, but believes that defrosting the icebox is even more dislikeable. She finds herself putting if off as long as possible. With a three-month-old daughter, Peggy finds a lot of housework going havoc.

A garbage disposal is a nice luxury for any housewife. Mrs. de Schweinitz would especially think so, I bet. She finds cleaning the garbage cans unappealing. Darning socks and polishing shoes are tasks that she finds getting put off, also.

Oh, the ring around the bathtub—just like year-recording circles in a tree, it records how clean we be. Don't blush Helen Ball, we have one too, and to those who laugh in scorn, just how clean is your bathtub?

"They ought to build 'em (bathtubs) higher," said Helen.

And woman's work is never done, because there are toys, toys, etc., etc., to be picked up after children. Mrs. Orville Howard, mother of four children, finds this keeps her busy.

Window washing is a fool-hardy attempt here in the Panhandle, and what's more, Mrs. Frank Morgan doesn't like it. "It doesn't do any good," she said.

By now, this may sound like a woman's emancipation cry. No, not quite. There is a lot of household work women like.

Several of the women said they enjoyed cooking, especially baking. Mrs. Winstead loves sewing for her four children. "I like to have the house all shined up," said Mrs. Howard, and Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. Truitt agree.

Mrs. Terry, who said, "I kept house for so many years I didn't stop to think whether I liked it or not," now realizes she thoroughly enjoys doing the dishes.

The fresh unexcelled, clean smell of sun-dried clothes makes washing and hanging out clothes a joy instead of a job for Mrs. de Schweinitz.

A formula for easier housekeeping would be a blessing for many a housewife. Mrs. Kuykendall gives one helpful suggestion which has helped her. Don't be so particular.

And so I salute you, modern Joan of Arc . . . adorned in armor of apron with strong, steel helmet of bobby pins, holding up the banner of Bird's Eye diapers as you march into battle and the din and clatter of dirty pots and pans. May all your little troubles be big income tax deductions.

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By
BOYCE HOUSE

An attorney whom I know found it necessary to locate a man whom he had represented at one time but of whom he had not heard in many years. In fact, he was not sure the man was still living for he would be "up in years." Let us say the man's name was Bat Holden—which it was not, but he was known by a nick-name. The lawyer knew his actual initials, however.

The last time anyone had heard of Holden, he was living in California. So the lawyer went to the public library, got the names of all the Holdens with the initials of the man he was seeking, from the telephone book of Los Angeles and suburban cities. Then he began placing long distance calls but, after talking to a dozen and spending about $75, he had made no headway whatever toward finding his man.

Then he did a little reasoning, such as Sherlock Holmes might have done.

"Let's see," he said to himself. "Bat was a gambler; he used to run a gambling hall. Gambler—gambling—Las Vegas."

So he put in a call to Las Vegas, saying he thought his party had a gambling hall. There was a little delay, then the operator said, "All right, I have Mr. Bat Holden for you." The lawyer asked the man's age but he wasn't old enough so he was about to hang up but he did remark, "Then you never had a gambling place in West Texas." The Las Vegas man said, "No—but my father did." So he obtained the address—a small town in California that he would never have known to call, phoned his man and cleared up a matter involving thousands of dollars.

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New Officers Have Charge of Meeting

The Highland Home Demonstration Club held the first regular meeting of 1957, Jan. 2, at the home of Mrs. Earl Boydstun with the new officers in charge.

Present were Mrs. George Cook, Mrs. R. C. Reeder, Mrs. Leroy Lamb, Mrs. Roy Godman, Mrs. John Plank, Mrs. Bill Todd, Mrs. L. T. Campbell and the hostess, Mrs. Boydstun.

The next meeting will be Jan. 23 at 2 p. m. Mrs. Mona Hildreth, Home Demonstration agent, will meet with the group at the home of Mrs. L. T. Campbell. Visitors and new members are welcome.

Wayside HD Club Hears Rules Talk

The Wayside H. D. Club met with Mrs. W. A. Doan Jr. Thursday afternoon. After the business session, Miss Fain talked on parliamentary procedure.

Mrs. Dewitt McGehee had charge of the recreation period.

Refreshments were served to Cora Belle Roberts, Othella McGehee, Bernice Hamblen, Aline Adams, Bertha Mahler, Verlie Wetzel, Joan Newsom, Delores Allen, Ina McGehee, Barbara Fain, several children and the hostess.

Mrs. L. E. Hogge Is Ring Hostess

"How I am enjoying my Christmas gifts" was the answer to roll call at the Variety Ring meeting Jan. 3 in the home of Mrs. L. E. Hogge.

"Love sister" names were drawn for the year, and needlework was done throughout the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. T. S. Maxwell, Mrs. George Cox, Mrs. P. L. Pitt, Mrs. Mae Johnson, Mrs. Earl Burtz, Mrs. Win Matsler, Mrs. George Barker, Mrs. W. L. Rice and the hostess, Mrs. Hogge.

Next meeting will be Jan. 13 in the home of Mrs. T. S. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haley of Seligman, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Lane Cummings and Carol of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ellington Britain of Plainview and Mrs. Cecil Owens of Lubbock spent Christmas in the A. C. Haley Jr. home.

Mrs. Ernest Small and son of Carlsbad, N. M., visited her mother, Mrs. Henry Meyer, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Burrus, during the holidays.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Rias of Oarlando, Calif., visited in the Carl Eugene Hair home last Friday.

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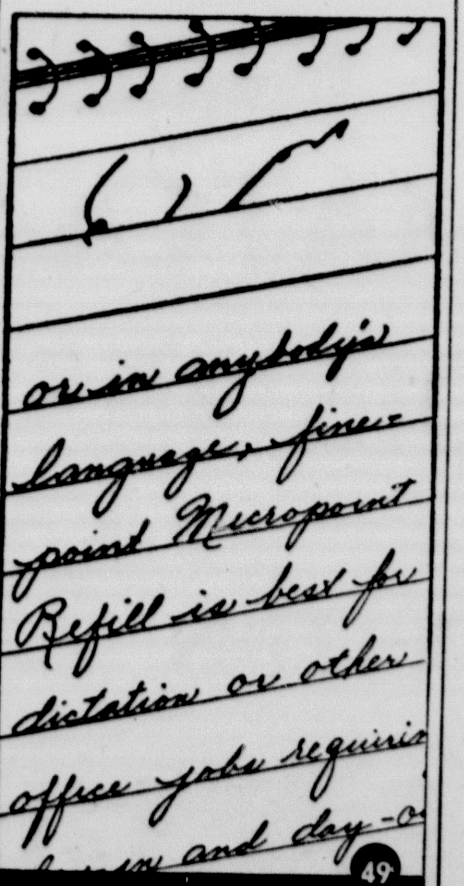

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Oldtimer Says Mules as Loud as Trains

By ORVILLE HOWARD

"Twenty-five mules eatin' corn make as much racket as a freight train," said W. S. Billy Carter of Canyon, and he had ought to know after working for six different ranches and being a railroad agent for 36 years.

The 81-year-old pioneer still chuckles when he recalls how the "mule herd" would wake him up in the early morning hours eating their daily ration of corn.

Billy Carter came to North Texas with his father and mother at the age of seven. His father, Sterling Carter, had established a freight route from Wichita Falls to Mobeetie.

Most of the freight going to Mobeetie consisted of groceries, clothing, and barrels of whiskey. On return trips the wagons usually were loaded with bones, the remains of dead cattle and buffalo. A load netted about $30 in Wichita Falls.

"It was pretty good business, unless someone plugged a barrel of the whiskey," Carter's father said.

Sterling Carter purchased a small store in Mobeetie shortly after coming to this area, and his family moved into living quarters in the rear of the store. This was Billy Carter's new home in 1883.

Billy attended his first term of school that year at Mobeetie. The school was a one-room rock house, a typical structure of the early frontier.

"We would often go to the creek immediately after school was out for the day, though I knew a lickin' would be waitin' for me when I got home," Billy said. "That year the school term lasted about three months."

In 1884 Sterling Carter dissolved his freight business, after having acquired a contract with the Franklin Land and Cattle Company to build dams on their holdings near the Canadian River. Carter, having only a couple of spans of mules, went to Kansas City where he purchased some 20 head of mules at $300 a span. He had them shipped to Dodge City, and from there he trailed them on to Mobeetie.

While in Dodge City hired a young man named Bert to help him through with the mules, and to work as his night-herder for the mules on the construction jobs. Later, Billy and Bert became close friends.

Sterling hired some six or eight men to work the plows and scrapers which were used in building the dams. He made Mobeetie headquarters and pitched temporary camps near the projects.

The hardships which the men endured on these camps were sometimes horrifying. The terrible winter of '84 not only played havoc with beats of the prairie but also with men. Large tarpaulins were stretched between the wagons to protect the mules from the raging north wind, while the men had the luxurious comfort of a flopping tent, with temperature below zero. The work on the dams came to a halt as the terrible winter engulfed the barren prairies of the Panhandle.

"Some of the workers' hands and feet were frozen, and dead cattle were lying so thick along the drift fences that you could walk a half mile without stepping on the ground," said Billy.

For a while the men became discontented because they were not receiving pay for the days they were unable to work. After discovering that other jobs were not available nearby, they returned to accept the room and board offered by Carter.

It was during this time that Billy would often go out to the camps with his father, where he usually became involved as the mule herder's helper. Bert took care of the night herding along with his other routine chores, thus Billy and Bert became very close friends in their association at the construction camps.

"I would go out with Bert to night herd the mules, and about midnight I would go to sleep. Bert would carry me to my tent and put me to bed," Carter said.

What Billy didn't know was that Bert was also a very shrewd card player. Since the cold kept the men from working much of the time, the leisure hours were sometimes spent in gambling. Bert had just about cleaned the men out of ready cash, and his triumph was causing an ever increasing tension of aversion among the workers.

Carter, realizing the extent of the danger for Bert, was forced to fire him—"though he was one of the best hands that I ever worked," he later said.

The morning Bert left, he met a couple of cowboys who said that "Old Sullivan" was dead over by a certain pond. When Bert arrived in Mobeetie, he solemnly told of the mysterious happening, and a hack full of the townsmen decided it would be proper to go out and bury the stranger.

Arriving at the pond, the men only found a large black bull lying dead in the winter sun. Bert had left town before the men returned, and supposedly never discovered that Sullivan was the name the construction gang had given to a range bull.

Billy relates this incident when his father, a hired hand and himself were caught in a blizzard: "We left camp early in the morning without any breakfast. I got so cold that Dad put me down in the bottom of the wagon, covered me with a tarp, and set a lantern down close by. It helped but the sharp winds still penetrated my hide. We traveled all day without eating anything, and late that night we arrived at Lefors. Henry Thuts, who lived there at that time, had three hungry and cold fellows for supper that night. I guess I was the hungriest, because I was still eating when everyone else was through."

In the spring of '85 Sterling Carter completed his contract with the Franklin Company, and worked the rest of the summer putting up hay for the Franklin cattle.

That fall the Carters moved down to White Deer Creek on the Bar X ranch, where Carter had obtained the job of feeding the Bar X Poll Angus and Shorthorn herd. H. T. Grooms, who was the general manager of the Bar X at that time, was cross-breeding the shorthorn with the poll-angus. Billy helped his father feed the Bar X cattle that winter.

The Carters worked on the Bar X ranch until spring of '87, when Sterling Carter filed on a section of land near the Turkey Track ranch. They moved up to the place about seven miles from Adobe Walls on the Canadian.

It was here that Sterling Carter got a contract to carry the mail from Adobe Walls to Canadian. Most of the mail in and out was for the larger ranches of that area —Turkey Track and the Bar C C.

The route which Carter established was traveled in this routine: Carter would go to Adobe Walls, which was seven miles to the west, and pick up the mail. He would return home that night and early the next morning head for Canadian which was about 48 miles up the creek. On the return trip, the mail pouch would not only contain mail, but also commodities.

Cowboys on the ranches would invariably send for little knicknacks—like a plug of tobacco, some buttons, or a quart of whiskey. This was considered a public service by Carter.

Billy worked as a part-time hand for the Turkey Track and the Bar C C, riding the division fence between the two ranches. This job was held in the summer months, and in the winter Billy helped his father carry the mail.

That is, he did until Billy was caught in a rain storm, and his team ran away with him, losing part of the mail. The postmaster at Canadian thereafter insisted that Sterling Carter carry the mail all the time.

Money was a very scarce item on the plains frontier at this time, so Billy undertook to offset the handicap by establishing a trapline.

"Skunks, coons, wildcats, possums, and wolves were about the variety of my catch," Billy said, "and I also sold quail in Canadian for $1.25 a dozen."

Roberts County was organized in 1889, and Sterling Carter was appointed the sheriff of Roberts County, after "Cooper's flight with the tax money." Billy went to Mobeetie and stayed with C. B. Willingham and attended school that year. The Carter family stayed on their filed section until '91. In the meantime Billy went another term of school at Mobeetie.

In 1892 Billy Carter left home and went to White Deer, where he got a job working with the N-N ranch. However, in '93 they closed out their holdings and went to Montana.

Billy and two other men were left to round in the strays that summer. That fall, the remainder of the N Bar N treked their way to the Montana Country, and the Matador took over their spread in West Texas. Billy switched over to the Matador Ranch, upon the closing out of the N Bar N, where he worked for the next two years.

In '96 Billy went back to work for the Bar C C on the Canadian. It was there that Billy bought a mustang for $20 from Billy Bell which turned out to be a very unique experience.

"The mustang was awful hard to break, but finally I managed to trim him down to my size," as Billy tells the story. "The horse never did really get where I could say I liked him, because he was always so skittish, shying at everything strange he came to. One day he shied at an old earthern water tank and got scared and throwed me.

"I guess I was miles from nowhere so I started following the nag. After about five or six miles of walking, I found the bridle which had slipped off. I went on into the ranch on foot that night, and forgot about ever seeing the horse or saddle again. A week or so later, a stranger brought my saddle to Miami. I identified it as mine.

"Three months goes by, and here comes Christopher Wickerser into Miami with my horse. He had found him on a neighboring ranch and had recognized him. He wanted to race him in some races that was to be run in February at Miami. They made the plans to run him, though I just knew the horse was worthless, they insisted that his looks was good enough—why not try him.

"The match was set, and my horse was to run against 'Traveler,' a dun colored horse. I thought I knew my horse's ability, so I bet all the money that I had on 'Traveler' his opponent—a sum of $125. Well, sure enough my old nag won the race, and I lost my money. I hated the horse so bad that I sold him for $35 that day."

In the spring of 1897 Billy started working for the Turkey Track ranch again. While attending a masquerade dance in Miami that fall he went to see his parents and found his mother very sick. He decided to quit the Turkey Track, whereupon he purchased one-half interest in his father's store at Miami.

He married Lily Cunningham at Miami. They had two daughters, Billie Guyer III, and Marilyn, both of Amarillo, and Marie T. Carter, technician at the hospital in Canyon.

By '99 Billy and his father had 19 sections of land, and 800 head of cattle, but the winter of '99 was one long to be remembered by Billy. The cold and snow killed 20 per cent of their cattle, and they had an enormous feed bill to keep the others surviving. The recovery was hard and slow, and never really accomplished.

In 1902 Billy Carter sold out his holdings and came to Amarillo. There he leased a section of land just north of town and started quarrying building rock. This project left Billy with a lot of experience and little profit.

Billy worked at the Chastine Livery Stable for a while, and then he obtained a job working for the McKnight Livery Stable, where he stayed for the next six months.

In 1906 Billy was hired by the City of Amarillo to work on the police force. His first beat was near Polk Street. Some trouble occurred on the "Bowery," where the Denver Freight Depot is now located in Amarillo.

"It wasn't unusual to find a dead man on the street at night," Billy said. He was relieved of this job after working for 11 months, because, he says, of the way he voted in the town election. However, shortly after that, he was elected town constable, a job he held until he resigned to go to work for the Santa Fe Railway Company.

He started working for the Santa Fe Aug. 15, 1908. His first job was nightwatchman at the depot, with a salary of $60 a month. He soon was promoted to switch inspector, a job too that was to be short-lived. He was promoted to livestock agent for the Santa Fe in 1910—a position he held until his retirement on Jan. 21, 1945.

Upon his retirement, he became a jailer for the City of Amarillo. Later, because of his age, he was transferred to the job of county bailiff, and still later, he permanently retired from public work.

Billy, the oldest of two brothers and two sisters, still has one brother living in Higgins, Hugh Carter, and one sister, Mura Coffee of Amarillo, a filing clerk at the St. Anthony's hospital.

Billy Carter, a retired railroad agent, a one time policeman and cowboy, very persistently says, "I could still be working if they would let me."

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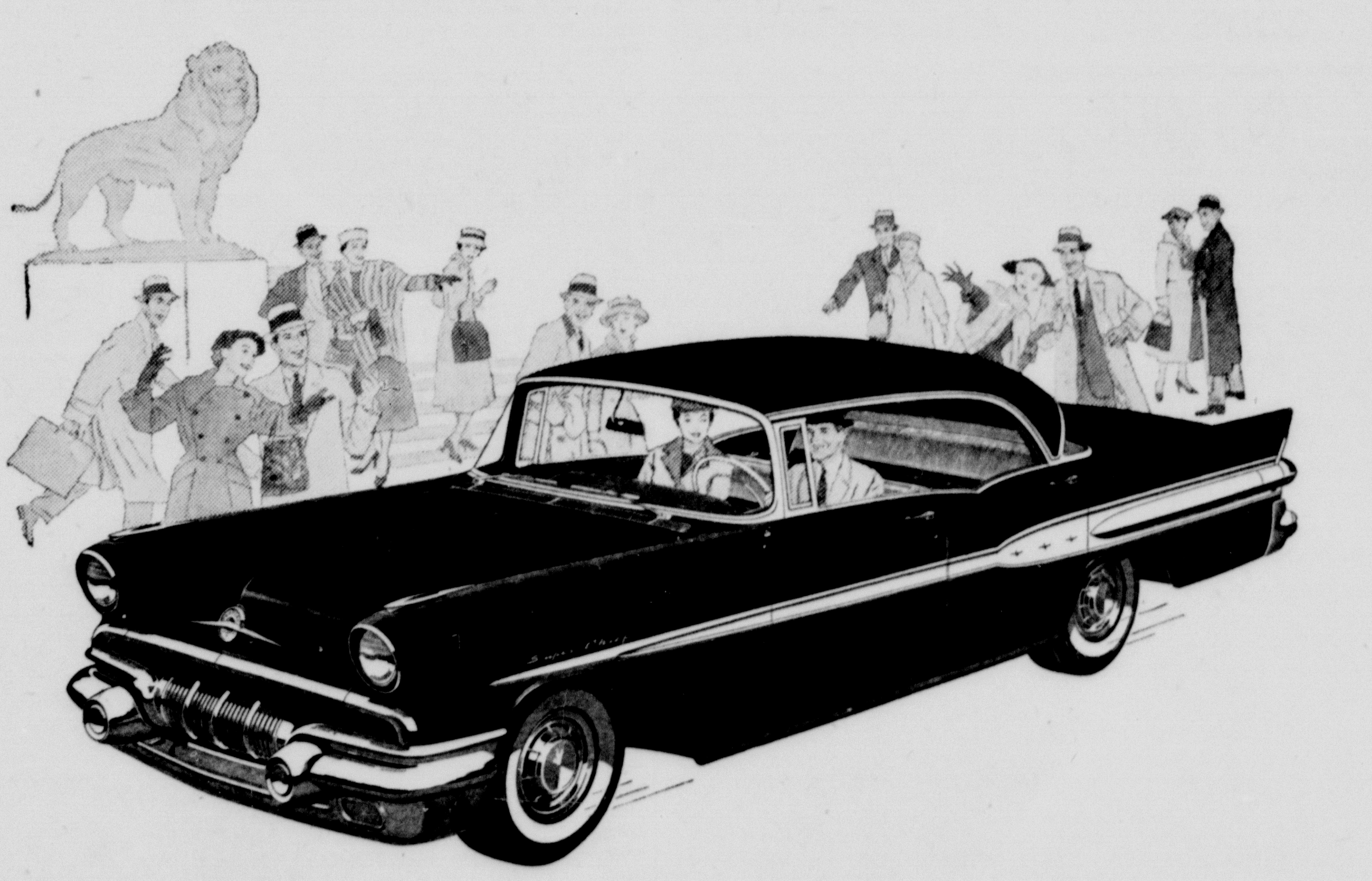

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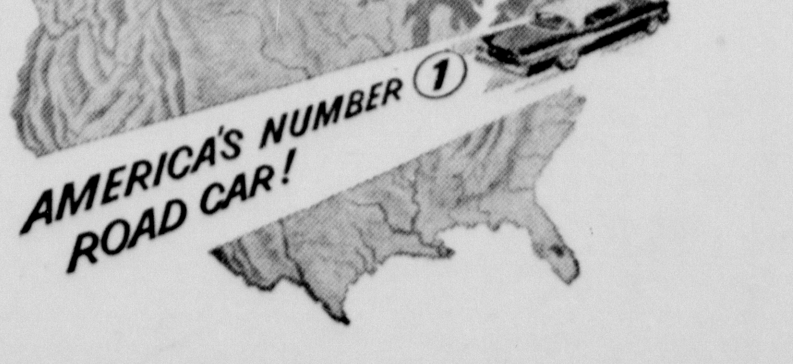

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New Grand Jury Asks for Meeting With County Commissioners Court

Following suggestions of the September term grand jury, the January term group requested a meeting with the Randall County Commissioners Court Thursday morning.

No indication was given as to what might be discussed during the meeting, however, the September term grand jury recommended that the court hire two more sheriff's deputies, appoint a committee to study the unit plan of county administration, install a traffic signal at the railroad crossing south of the high school, raise the salary of the district attorney and employ an assistant district attorney.

The final report of the September term group, signed by the foreman, Walter Juniper, follows:

After the three months period of the impaneling of this Grand Jury, we wish to make the following reports and observations:

1. We wish to express our appreciation for the cooperation and diligent work of the law enforcement agencies of Randall County and the City of Amarillo. Especially we would like to commend the action of the offices of the Sheriff and the District Attorney in their handling of the Halloween episode, in their dealing with the High School students, for the patient and congenial way in which they discussed the problem with each student concerned.

2. We wish to record our emphatic approval of the recommendation of the three previous Grand Juries, that additional personnel be added to the Sheriff's Office. We urge the immediate appointment of deputies to assist the office of the Sheriff in law enforcement in South Amarillo. We are dismayed, in spite of the recommendation of the past three Grand Juries, as far as this Grand Jury can determine, that the Commissioners Court have taken no action on this problem.

3. We recommend, in view of the increased duties of the District Attorney's Office, that an Assistant be appointed to facilitate the efficient operation of the office. The current Grand Jury makes this recommendation because of the sharp increase of the duties of the District Attorney's Office. This increase is evidenced by a ten percent per annum rise in prosecutions. He is obviously handicapped in the effective operation of his office according to the observations of this Grand Jury. We recommend that the assistant be appointed immediately. We further recommend that the salary of the District Attorney be increased to that comparable to other District Attorneys in the state.

4. In view of the possible improvement of efficiency of County Administration, which might come from the County Unit Plan Operation, we recommend that a committee be appointed to investigate the merits of such a plan. We recommend that the Commissioners Court appoint a committee for study of the County Unit Plan and that a report of the committee be made to the Commissioners. We recommend further that the succeeding Grand Juries continue to consider this unit plan of organization.

5. We recommend to the Commissioners Court that a traffic signal be installed at the railroad crossing south of the high school.

The Grand Jury, because of the incomplete investigation at this time, pass the cases of Robert Jones and Marvin White to the new Grand Jury for final action.

We wish to express our deepest regrets at the unfortunate illness of the permanent Secretary of this Grand Jury, Mr. Dan Sanders, and wish for him a speedy recovery.

Fred Standley Jr. Attorney General

Fred Standley Jr. was sworn in as attorney general of New Mexico at Santa Fe on Jan. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Standley and Mr. and Mrs. Don Standley attended the inaugural ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boston of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boston and family of Cleburne spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boston and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Boston.

Mrs. Dan Gayler of Dalhart is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Happy McAtee, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wester and Doris of Carlsbad, N. M., visited his mother, Mrs. W. I. Wester, during the holidays.

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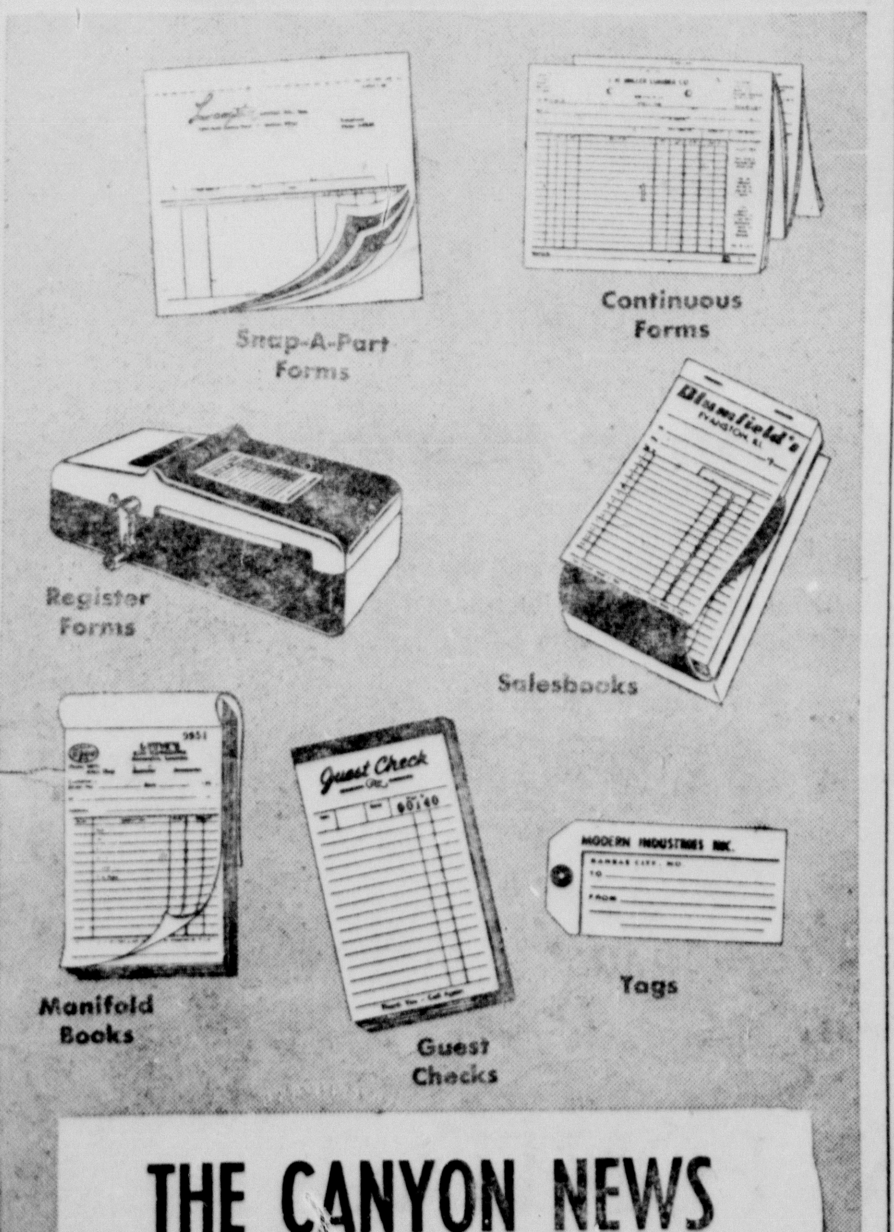

THE CANYON NEWS
PHONE OL 5-2141

Hospital News

Mrs. Annie Sallie Candler, Coleman, Texas, orthopedic
Mrs. B. C. Lambert, Amarillo, surgical
Mrs. Ruel Golden, Amarillo, medical
Mrs. Lena Lawson, Happy, medical
Mrs. D. S. Williams, Pampa, medical
L. L. Byars, surgical
C. W. Todd, Bushland, surgical
Mrs. B. A. Burrus, surgical
Kelli Kae Perkins, Amarillo, surgical
Robert Lee Chandler, Borger, medical
Mrs. D. B. Lowes, medical
O. N. King, surgical
Jimmie E. Owens, Dumas, surgical
Clyde W. Warwick, orthopedic
Carl Louis Strafuss, Hereford, surgical
Mrs. Tim Wilson, Amarillo, medical
William R. Coleman, medical
Mrs. Myron Fancher Davis, Happy, surgical
Mrs. Glenn Reed, Stratford, surgical

Births

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Crabtree of Happy are parents of a boy born Jan. 5.

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Juan Martinez of Canyon, born Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Hatfield of Canyon are parents of a boy born Jan. 7.

A boy was born Jan. 9 to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Golden of Wildorado on Jan. 9.

New Grand Jury Sworn In Monday

The January term Randall County Grand Jury was sworn in Monday, and met with members of the September term grand jury.

Members of the new grand jury are John E. Ekelund, Amarillo, foreman, Cecil O'Donald, Tom Brasher, A. M. Warren and V. P. Hill, all of Canyon, George Albers, Rt. 2, Canyon, Leonard Batenhorst, Rt. 1, Canyon, Curtis H. Claiborn, H. F. Argo, H. A. Delashmutt Jr., Donald D. Kaufman and O. J. Stoneking, all of Amarillo.

Enter Hobby Show By Next Wednesday

Entries for the annual P-TA Hobby Show must be turned in to Mrs. Bob Bellah or Mrs. Dudley Moore by next Wednesday in order to be included in the show.

The show will be the program for the regular P-TA meeting Jan. 17.

Anyone is eligible to enter a hobby, school children, teachers, parents and others not connected with the school or P-TA.

Those who wish to enter the show may contact Mrs. Bellah at OL 5-2512 or Mrs. Moore at OL 5-2104.

Mrs. L. A. Donnell was moved to her home a week ago Saturday from Neblett Hospital. She is progressing satisfactorily.

City Purchases New Police Car; Accepts Painting Bid for City Hall

A new police car to replace the Plymouth now in use was purchased by the Canyon City Commission at the regular meeting Monday night.

The new car will be a 190-horsepower Ford, bought on a bid of $1775 from Truitt-Townsend. The bid was the low bid of four in the horsepower class.

Imperial Chevrolet submitted the lowest bid, $1752.80 for a 160 horsepower automobile, but the addition of a power pack to raise the horsepower brought the Imperial bid to $1787.80.

Other bids received were Randall Motor, $1844.30, and Canyon Motor, $2171.94.

The commission also accepted the bid of Billy Brown for repainting the city hall. Brown's bid was $153.20. Other bids received were W. D. Walker, $227.50, and Sternenberg Lumber Co., $209.

The commission decided to purchase seven boxes to hold keys for the night watchman's time clock. The cost will be $25.

City Secretary Andrew Boggs told the commission that the time clock company recommended that new keys be used as the old keys have worn to such an extent that they were damaging the clock. The clock had recently been overhauled.

Boggs said the keys at the stations are hanging loose on chains and are worn excessively by being banged around by the wind. He said there is some trouble with the keys being torn off by children. The boxes will protect the new keys, he said.

A check for $1500 from Randall County was received by the commission to help pay for paving in Conner Park. The paving was completed in that area last spring.

Other business conducted by the commission was routine.

● Refugees

The end of 1956 has come and the Refugee Act of 1953 has expired. Canyon made a brave effort to secure refugees this year. At one time a home, employment, and assurance were secured for a family, but after prolonged correspondence the Baptist church, which had guaranteed the position, realized that for some reason a refugee could not come. Now the position, then open, has been satisfactorily filled.

Mrs. Thelma Morgan, who operates several convalescent homes on the High Plains, has secured the services of a Hungarian woman to serve as a nurse. Mrs. Morgan needed no financial help from the refugee committee.

Other plans have not yet proved fruitful, but acceptable assurances have been sent for two more couples, and if there are persons for whom visas have already been issued, they may yet come to Canyon.

At its meeting Monday, the refugee committee decided that since Canyon still stands a chance of getting a Hungarian family, the $150.44 now on deposit in the First National Bank should remain there for the present. If and when it is certain that no family is available, the committee believes that this account should be closed and the money turned over to the Hungarian Relief Fund or some other fund that serves the needs of refugees. —M. Moss Richardson

Mrs. Jowell Ross of Seymour visited Mrs. Renna Bellah last week.

Canyon Student Due Commission

Four West Texas State College senior Reserve Officers' Training Corps cadets including one from Canyon will be granted direct commissions into the Army when they are graduated in May, according to Lt. Col. Edward L. Lindsey, professor of military science and tactics.

The four "Distinguished Military Graduates" are Herman Betke of Borger, Gregory Dorough of Amarillo, Ralph Green of Canyon and Terry Julian of Floydada.

To be called for active duty as second lieutenants in June, the men will attend a four-months basic branch school. Green and Dorough will join the Infantry, while Betke has chosen Artillery and Julian the Transportation Corps.

The four men this year brings WT's number of regular Army commissions to nine since 1954.

HAIR HISTORY—History takes on a new look in this Berlin, Germany, hairdresser's version of what a lady of the Napoleonic era looked like Striking coiffure was created at a hairdressers' contest under the theme "Modernized Historical Styles"

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FLOUR, 5 lb. . . . 49c

SUGAR, 10 lb. Sack . 96c

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ORANGE JUICE 6 OZ. FROSTY ACRES FROZEN MAKES 1½ PINTS 2 Cans 31c

WHITE SWAN
COFFEE, lb. . . 96¢

BUNNY
BREAD, 1½-lb. . 21¢

BAKE-RITE, 3 lb. . . 79c

SUPREME
CRACKERS, 1 lb. . . 25c

GRAPEFRUIT Ruby Red Seedless Large — 4 For 21c

TOMATOES, Pkg. . . 19c

CHAMP
DOG FOOD, 3 Cans . 29c

NO. 1 CELLO
POTATOES, 10 lb. . . 49c

SCHILLINGS BLACK
PEPPER, 2 oz. Can . . 15c

CRISP TRIMMED
CABBAGE, lb. 5c

SALAD BOWL
SALAD DRESSING . 43c

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Brian Tolliver In Test Finals

A Canyon High School senior is a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship competition.

Brian Tolliver, son of Dr. and Mrs. Crannell Tolliver, is one of 7,492 high school students in the nation who will take "Scholastic Aptitude Tests" in March in competition for one of 700 four-year scholarships. Tolliver ranked in the upper 2½ per cent of all who took the verbal portion of the Scholarship Qualifying Test during the fall. He ranked in the upper 7 per cent on the quantative portion.

High School Principal J. E. Miller said some 168,000 high school seniors from 12,000 schools in the nation took the first test. All seniors were eligible, although those who ranked in the lower 95 per cent of the class, scholastically, were required to pay $1 for taking the test.

The 7,492 finalists are from 3,208 schools. About 700 scholarships will be available for the winners. The scholarships, good for four years at the college the student chooses, are provided by various U. S. corporations.

The tests and scholarships are given to the students through the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, a non-profit organization set up by the Ford Foundation.

Miller said 10 Canyon High seniors took the tests during the fall.

Lloyd's of London writes all forms of insurance except life insurance.

William Tell was a Swiss patriot who lived in the 14th century.

Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Iceland comprise the Scandinavian countries.

French is the official diplomatic language of the world.

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

It's a long way from U. S. A. to Suez, yet it appears early tax relief for American business and individuals may have been drowned in that narrow strip of brine through desert sands.

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For with England, France, lacking Arabian oil, mighty drive is underway to get oil from Western Hemisphere with American dollar aid.

C. W. Harder

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Early last summer in this column it was predicted State Dept. meddling in Egypt with foreign aid funds would eventually result in American taxpayer getting it in the neck.

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When Nasser siezed canal, this column pointed out his action was taken when State Dept. renegged on promise to build dam in Egypt.

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In considering the whole sorry picture it is important to bear in mind Suez Canal operation, i. e., the collection of fat tolls, is purely a private enterprise in which individual Englishmen and Frenchmen, of some political power, are stockholders.

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The immediate cry was that Nasser would close the canal. But after all, anyone needing cash money as badly as Nasser just doesn't close up shop on a profiitable going business.

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As usual, State Dept. couldn't resist temptation to get into act and promised England a half billion American tax dollars to defray cost of tanker shipments around the Cape. As usual, Congress was not consulted.

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But the canal was not closed. In fact, traffic proceeded at a good clip, and no oil shortage loomed. The only trouble was that influential English and French stockholders were not collecting the big tolls.

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So Anglo-French forces, equipped in part with arms supplied them by U. S. taxpayers for defense against Russia, moved in without warning with real rootin' tootin' warfare.

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When a trigger is pulled, most anything can happen. So a few excitable Arabs blew up some pipelines, a few ships got sunk in the canal, blocking it.

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It seems impossible an all-out assault could have been mounted on Egypt without somebody in the U. S. knowing about the plans in advance. If American intelligence cannot learn of the war plans of so-called allied nations, there is a doubt as to just how efficient that intelligence service would be in learning in advance of hostile moves by communists.

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In addition, it is peculiar how immediately after this sad fiasco, American oil companies started talking higher prices for U.S. consumers. How this figures is apparently anybody's guess.

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Yet, unless stern resistance develops in Congress, it is a pretty sure cinch American tax money will again bail England out of the mess it has gotten itself into through stupidity, cupidity, and with complete disregard for the high moral principles of the United Nations.

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Once again England has proved its word valueless. If it is to the American interest to again extend financial interest, it should be undoubtedly on a sound businesslike loan basis with a profitable rate of interest charged, backed by ample collateral. For example, Fort Knox would be a safe place to hold British Crown jewels as collateral for one fair-sized loan. And there's royal precedent for this, too. Did not Queen Isabella hock her jewels to give Columbus a hand?

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Del Monte **CATSUP, 14 oz. Bottle**	19¢
Campbell's **VEGETABLE SOUP, 2 For**	25¢
Purex **BLEACH, ½ Gallon**	29¢
Skinners — 7 oz. Box **CUT SPAGHETTI, 2 Boxes**	21¢
Red Heart **DOG FOOD**	3 Cans 39¢
Red Seal — 300 Size **SHOE STRING POTATOES**	3 Cans 35¢
Del Monte — 46 oz. Can **TOMATO JUICE**	29¢

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KOTEX Box of 12	29c
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BAKERS 4 IN 1 **INSTANT CHOCOLATE**	23¢
CONCHO CUT 303 **GREEN BEANS, 3 For**	35¢
Concho — Sour or Dill **PICKLES**	Quart 29c
Extra Large — Fresh **EGGS**	3 Dozen $1.00

DOUBLE GUNN BROS. STAMPS TUESDAY

Ragle Elected Pastor's Prexy

The Rev. and Mrs. Win Matsler were the honored guests at an informal reception in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Strauss Atkinson last Friday evening following the closing service of the Pastor's Preaching Mission. The Rev. and Mrs. Winston Wilbanks served as co-hosts.

The members of the Pastor's Association and their wives were present. The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. McCulley were guests.

As a part of the evening's activities the pastors held a business session in which officers were elected for the new year. The Rev. H. Doyle Ragle was elected president and the Rev. Davis Harrell was elected secretary-treasurer. The Rev. Winston Wilbanks was asked to continue serving as chairman in charge of the city-wide religious census which is now being completed.

It was reported that $97.93 was contributed during the Preaching Mission to be used by the association in assisting transients who become stranded in Canyon.

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Madie Owen
Mildred Iola Bryan
Mrs. Bob McDowell
Mrs. Jimmie Golden
Linda Lee Allen

January 11
Don Duncan
Don Wells
Don Gay Dickerson
J. V. Williams
Elvert Laughery
Bobby Johnston

January 12
Martha Hoffman
Wilbert Windelken
E. A. Stocker

January 13
Carl Small
Ernest Frank
Dale Russell
Mary Alice Foster
Mrs. Howard Russell

January 14
Barbara Jo White
Carl Smith Jr.
Albert Koenig
Robert Finley
Roger C. Dugan
B. C. Taylor Jr.
Mrs. Raymond Tucek
Sherrol Patton

January 15
David Hinkle
Mrs. Lorenzo Wirt
Winfield Miller
Houston Prichard
Mary Evlyn Mahle
Judith Kay Wilson

January 16
Margie Bauer
Melvin Smith
T. J. Myers
Mrs. Joe Carrol Dutton
Mrs. Harvey Boehning

Comfortable Sleep Is Discussed Friday

Mrs. Mona Hildreth, H. D. agent, gave a program on "Comfortable Sleeping" to the Fairview H. D. Club which met Jan. 4 with Mrs. Madge Sutton. Mrs. Hildreth showed slides of different bedrooms and discussed the points of each.

Refreshments were served to Inez Shipman, Annie Wesley, Serena Bryan, Georgia Rogers, Lavena Amerson, Grace Schaeffer, Lizzie Wesley, Annie Reed, Edna Wilson, a visitor, Ora Evans, Mrs. Hildreth, and the hostess.

Flying any national flag upside down at sea is the international distress signal.

In ancient times, the Pyramids of Egypt were used as tombs of the rulers.

There is no law requiring Justices of the Supreme Court to be lawyers.

According to law, a minimum of three persons can create a riot.

Typewriter Is Handy in the Kitchen, Too

BY EDNA MILES

As a homemaker, you probably have the need to use a typewriter many times a day. Menus. Recipes. Notes to various members of the family. Correspondence. Volunteer work and church work.

A typewriter that can go places with you and that stores away neatly in a desk or kitchen drawer is a real time-saver. There's a new one on the market, made in this country, that stands just three inches high and weighs a mere eight pounds. And it's budget-priced.

Designed as a fashion accessory, it comes with a carrying case not bigger than a handbag. But it has the full, standard-sized keyboard. The working parts are enclosed in streamlined gray-green metal.

You can move the typewriter from kitchen to living room with ease or lend it to your son for his homework. It can travel with you on plane, train or in car without either hogging space or skyrocketing your luggage weight.

Your kitchen is also your office and the tools in it are your aids to efficiency. This is one of the newest.

Budget-priced, this lightweight portable is just the thing-for the efficient homemaker.

Umbarger News

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Brandt and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Raef and family visited in the Raymond Batenhorst home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman and family visited in the E. A. Stocker home.

Otto Skarke, August Skypala visited in the Ray Gerber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel visited in the Alfred Reinhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Friemel were dinner guests in the Alvin Friemel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinhart and family visited in the Leonard Batenhorst home.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff and family visited in the Leo Artho home.

Nadine, Irene, and Bobby Gerber and Ricky Richardson visited in the Math Albracht home.

Mrs. Math Albracht and Mary visited in the Henry Gerber home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Liekhus and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Conklin and family visited in the John Bedenk home.

Johnny Beckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckman, left for San Diego where he will complete his basic training in the Navy.

Gerald Beckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckman, left for Ohio where he is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Wieck and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Ed Wieck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alois Friemel and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Roscoe Richardson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Friemel and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Harvey Artho home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerber and family were dinner guests in the Math Albracht home.

Mrs. Bill Gerber is visiting relatives in Scholenburger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers have returned to California after visiting the Lewie Raefs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Artho and famliy, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Artho and family were dinner guests in the John Birkenfield home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Conklin and family visited in the Alvin Friemel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Batenhorst and family visited in the Isidore Reinhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck and family visited in the John Wieck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Buecker and boys visited in the Jack Vorwald home.

Exchanging visits were Janett Brandt with Judy Batenhorst, Andy Raef with Charles Batenhorst, Deanna Stocker with Evelyn Hoffman, Danny Stocker with Johnny Hoffman, Kenneth Friemel with Billy Stocker, Bernard Buecker with Ronnie Haschke, Billy Albracht with Michael Raef, Dorothy Wieck with Joan Haschke, and Johnny Batenhorst with Robert Koch.

Blue, black and green inks are used in printing a U. S. one dollar bill.

The standard gauge for a railroad track is four feet, eight and one-half inches.

Typewriter ribbons are, on the average, 25 feet long.

Average life of a milk bottle is 34 deliveries.

News is formed from the first letters of North, East, West and South.

Utah leads other states in the production of gold.

"Doodlesack" is a colloquial name for bagpipes.

Club Has Covered Dish Luncheon

Braid weaving and other needlework were done by the Town and Country Club Jan. 3 at a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. Arthur Olson.

Guests were Mrs. Bob Reynolds of Amarillo and Mrs. Ed Harrell of Canyon. Members present were Gladys Campbell, Ruby Burrus, Gladys Lair, Helen Reynolds, Evon Jennings, Grace Costley, Joe Cook, Lillie Byars and Ester Olson.

In a 20-mile race, a man would win over a horse because of his endurance.

Warren G. Harding is the only man who went direct from the Senate to the Presidency.

Maine is bordered by only one other state.

Largest of the Egyptian pyramids has an estimated weight of 5 million tons.

Borden Price Will Begin Chairmanship

Borden Price, Randall County district chairman of the Boy Scouts of America for 1957, will be in charge of the district committee meeting to be held Jan. 14 in the Blue Room of the college cafeteria at 12:15 p. m.

The meeting has been changed to this date in order not to conflict with the council meeting Jan. 21. **All committee members and members at large are urged to attend. The date for the regular meeting is to be set.**

Louisiana is the only state whose laws are not based on English common law.

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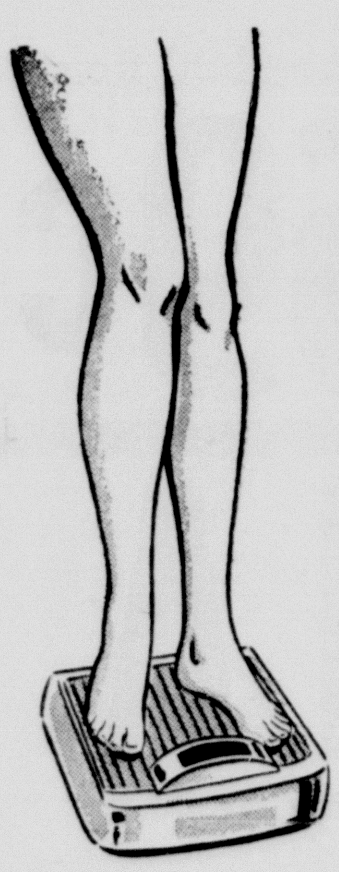

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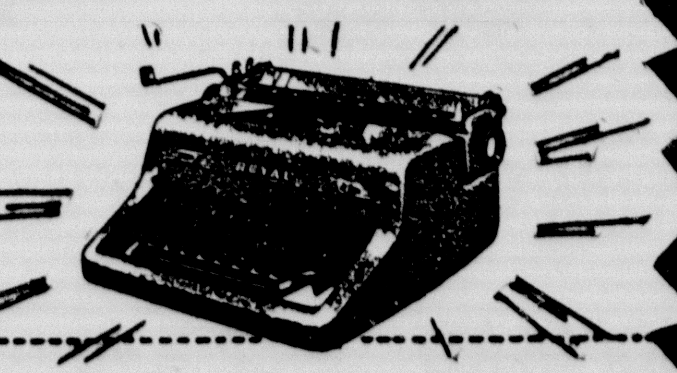
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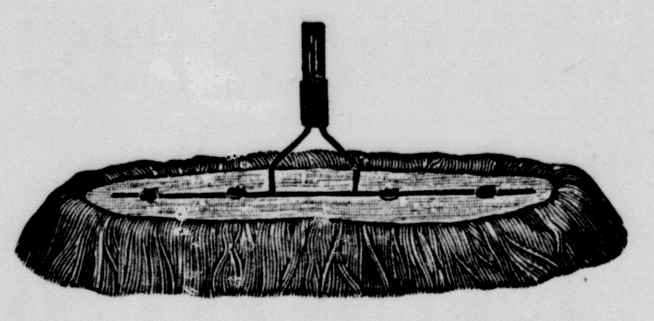
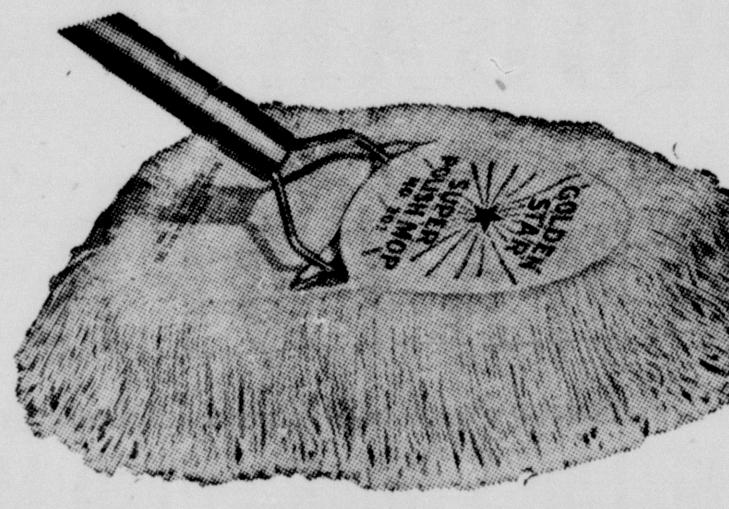
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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

State Conservationist H. N. Smith of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service announced plans to take quick action to put into effect the stepped-up Great Plains program in the state.

Smith said that he has called a conference of state leaders of agricultural programs and agencies in Texas for Jan. 11 at College Station to blueprint the plan of action on the farm and range lands of the 85 counties in that portion of the state.

Administrative responsibility for and leadership in the Great Plains program was recently placed on the Soil Conservation Service by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson.

Smith pointed out that Secretary Benson's order provided for the combining of the resources of the Department of Agriculture's various agencies in a step-by-step process for making long-time adjustments in land use, cropping systems, and in the treatment of cultivated lands and range, under the climatic hazards of the Great Plains.

The Great Plains program, brought into being by Public Law 1021 only last August, is designed to give farmers and ranchers, in the Great Plains area of the 10 involved states, both immediate and long-range help in the use of their land within its capabilities, Smith pointed out.

He explained that Public Law 1021 authorized an appropriation of not over $150 million for a 15-year period. Funds to aid farmers and ranchers are expected to be available after July 1, 1957. Expenditures may not exceed $25 million in any one year.

The program will apply in counties to be designated by the Secretary of Agriculture in portions of Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas and Wyoming. "The continued drouth in these states has emphasized the need for such a program to help develop a more stable farm and ranch economy in this region," Smith said.

Wind erosion conditions in the Great Plains area of Texas are serious with 403,000 acres damaged during October and November. Approximately 6,500,000 acres in a 68 county area of northwest Texas are in condition to be damaged by wind erosion this winter and spring, Smith announced.

He emphasized that the Great Plains region is not an annual or disaster type program nor does it replace any other existing agricultural program.

"This is a way to an enduring agriculture based on the capabilities of land and geared to the climatic hazards that we all know are ever-present in this important area," he said. "It is not a production adjustment or an income supplement program. It is a voluntary program with long-term assurance of needed financial help for a complete soil and water conservation plan applied to individual farms and ranches."

"The program," Smith added, "will point up the responsibility of local people in fitting their agriculture to the capabilities of the land and the hazards of climate. This responsibility is shared by farmers and ranchers, soil conservation districts, county committees, county commissioners and by all other groups, urban and rural, interested in the economy and the development of their home areas."

District Prexy Speaks to Club

Mrs. Johny Fagan, Seventh District president of Borger, spoke to the Music Club of Happy Jan. 4 on the principles, the federation and the objects of the music club. After her talk, questions were asked concerning club work.

Mrs. Dorden, district councilor of Borger, spoke on her work with the Junior Music Club, and the effect it has had on young people.

Mrs. Lonnie Todd called the meeting to order and Mrs. Ernest White led in the reading of the club collect. Mrs. Todd also introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Fagan.

Ten members answered roll call read by Mrs. Pete Whitlow, hostess. She served a refreshment plate following the program to Mrs. Foy Moudy, Mrs. Maude Bowe, Mrs. Clovis Vernon, Mrs. Dee Taylor, Mrs. Lonnie Todd, Mrs. Morlan McManigal, Mrs. Ernest White, Mrs. Herbert Wilkes, Mrs. W. E. Flaherty and the two guests from Borger.

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Avalon Brown And H. H. Harvey Wed

Avalon Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis A. Brown, became the bride of Hilliard H. Harvey on Monday, Dec. 24, in an informal ceremony at Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey were students at West Texas State College. Mrs. Harvey is now employed by Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., in Amarillo where they are making their home. Mr. Harvey will commute to WT until mid-term when he plans to work in Amarillo full time.

Troop 97 To Pick Up Papers On Thursday

The Scouts of Troop 97 will pick up old newspapers Thursday afternoon after school. The boys wish to thank the many people who have saved papers for them in the past.

Boys 11 years old or older, who are interested in scouting, are invited to attend Boy Scout troop meetings in the American Legion Hall every Monday night at 7. New boys are needed to help the troop better itself and help the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fullerton visited Sunday in Morton and Muleshoe with relatives.

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Lots of Pancakes Promised Jan. 25

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is promising all the pancakes, bacon and syrup you can eat for 50 cents at the pancake supper being sponsored by the Jaycees Jan. 25 in promotion of the March of Dimes drive, according to Barbara Wirt, publicity chairman of the county drive.

The supper will be from 6 to 9 p. m. in the American Legion Hall. Pioneer Pancake Mix has been donated to the JC's through the courtesy of local food stores.

Gilmore Reviews Book for Teachers

The Canyon Classroom Teachers Association heard Mrs. J. L. Gilmore review the book, Ether and Me, by Will Rogers at their regular meeting last Wednesday afternoon in the Canyon High School cafeteria.

Hostesses were Mrs. A. K. Knott, Marilyn A. Payne, Mrs. Dan Sanders, Forrest Faver, Mrs. Jewel Hill, Mrs. Earline Moreman, Sarah Thompson, Ada V. Clark and Mrs. W. F. Haggard.

G. D. Inman will have charge of the next program on Feb. 5.

Two Study Groups AAUW To Meet

International Relations Group of the AAUW will meet Jan. 14 at 7:30 p. m. with Elizabeth Cox, 1808 Seventh Avenue. Miss Darthula Walker and Miss Albessa Stephenson will discuss the policy of the United States in relation to Israel.

The French class of the AAUW will meet Jan. 14 at 7 p. m. in the college library.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dowlen, George and Marie were in Baton Rouge, La., last week to attend the graduate voice recital of their son, Glenn Jr., who is a student at the university. They were accompanied by the two grandmothers, Mrs. A. W. Shepherd of Austin and Mrs. C. M. Dowlen of Canyon. They spent a day in New Orleans sightseeing.

PFC Lowell Hill and PFC Tom Wright of El Paso spent the holidays with their parents, Mrs. Ruth Hill and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wright.

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FROM THE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
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ELECTRIC EGG HANDLING HELPS PROFITS

Of all the world's manufacturing enterprises, only the hen "manufactures" and "packages" its product in a natural protective covering, ready for immediate use by the consumer. Poor egg handling practices can undo all the effort that the hen puts into its product. Quality and value can be lowered by failure to clean eggs which are dirty, failure to keep eggs cool (authorities recommend 55 degrees for daily or weekly marketing of fresh eggs) and failure to properly candle eggs. At the Ayers Feed Company, in Slaton, Texas, these problems have been solved through the use of electric egg cleaners, electric refrigeration and electric egg candling. By insisting on electric equipment the Ayers people can get the precise control which is desirable in the handling of the hen's packaged product — the egg.

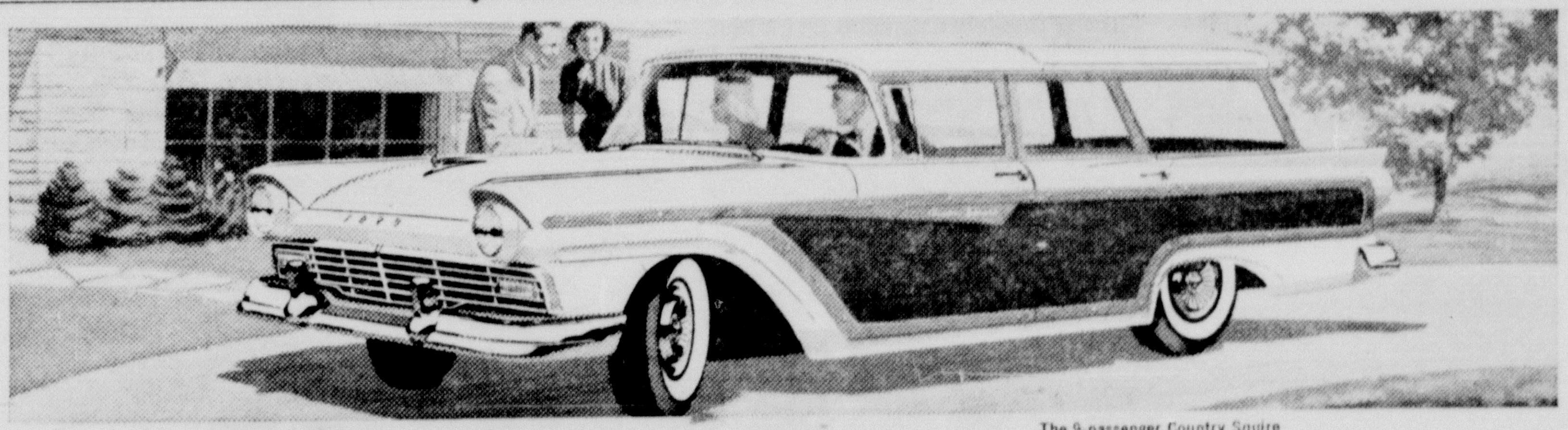
A flock of caged laying hens are maintained at the Feed Company, for the purpose of trying out the management practices which the company recommends to its customers. The company's feed formulas are also tested here.

Eggs are gathered often; dirty eggs are cleaned and all are cooled as quickly as possible to maintain proper quality. As time permits, the eggs are candled, graded and packaged in the Nu-Laid egg carton, which is the label furnished Ayers Supreme Feed customers. The modern methods employed assure the housewife of quality eggs for which she is willing to pay a small premium. In turn, this assures the egg producer of a constant market and at premium prices.

As in all caged layer installations, hens are confined in separate cages and are fed only premium feed which is properly balanced to provide all the health-giving characteristics so necessary to healthful hens and quality eggs. Fresh water is supplied to the hens in a separate trough.

Herbert L. Ehler is pictured candling eggs and operating automatic electric grader. Eggs are then stored at 55 degree temperature, assuring ultimate consumer good eggs and producer good profits.

Water, containing a mild detergent, is warmed and agitated electrically when basket of eggs is immersed for three minute cleaning. Egg producers say about 5% of eggs produced need cleaning if full profit is to be realized.



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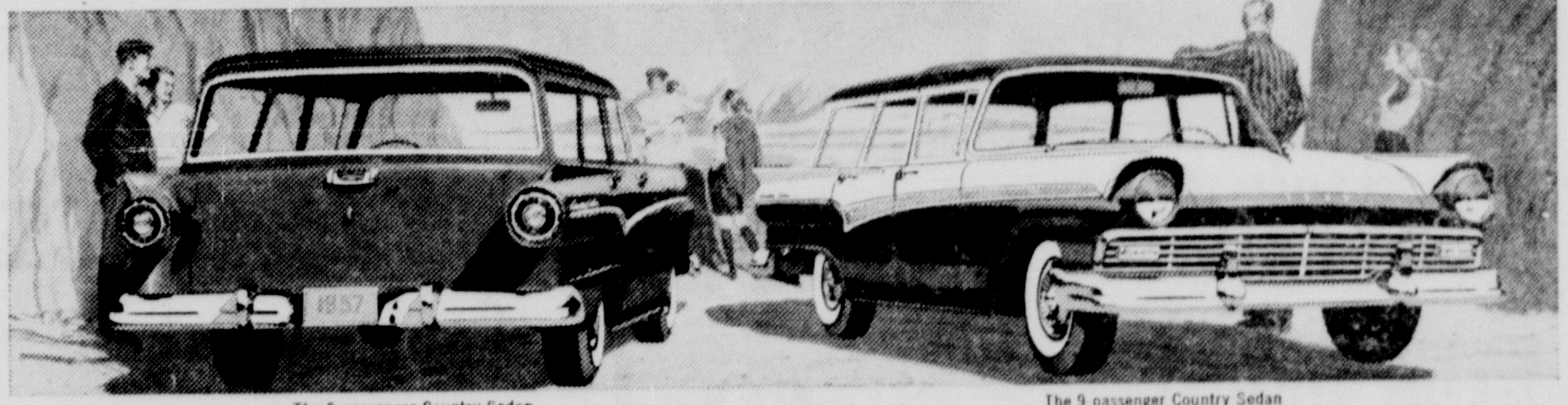

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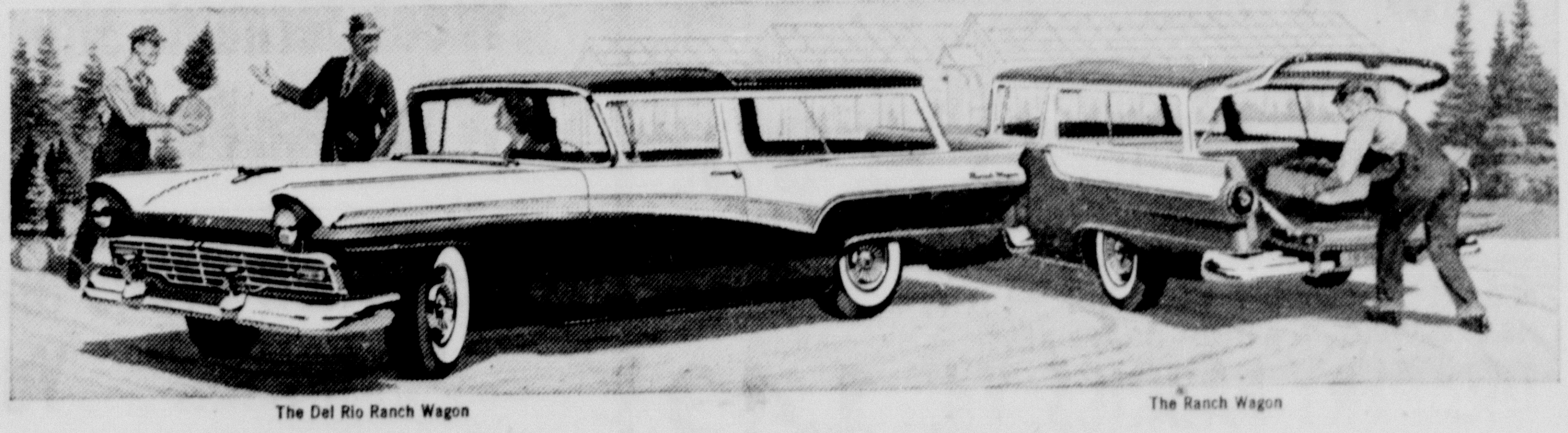

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If your needs call for a 6-passenger wagon with four doors, you'll love the new Country Sedan. It has almost nine feet of loadspace—nearly a foot more than ever before.

There's still another 4-door Country Sedan. It has the extra third seat for 9-passenger room. And, as in all Ford wagons for '57, you have the new single-control handle which opens both the wrap-around liftgate and tailgate with one motion. And they can't be opened from *inside!*

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Buffs Take Tangerine Bowl Game

Ron Mills Dazzles Southern Team

The West Texas State Buffaloes grazed quietly for nearly three quarters, then stampeded with Ronnie Mills as the lead bull and tromped the Mississippi Southern Southerners 20-13 to win the Tangerine Bowl game in Orlando, Fla., on New Years night.

Trailing in all departments, the Herd began moving after Mills intercepted a pass in the third quarter and raced 75 yards for the first WT score. The Buffs had been behind 13-0 until that point.

Mills, outstanding in both defense and offense, was named the outstanding player of the game and was presented with a trophy at a dinner following the charity contest. In addition to his intercepted pass score, Mills jumped across the goal line from the one for another touchdown.

The third touchdown was scored by quarterback Bubba Hillman on a 20-yard keeper run. Tommy Coffey kicked the extra point after the last two touchdowns. Archie Souter missed the first.

The teams played in midfield for the first quarter with the Southerners penetrating to only the Buffs' 43 and the Herd getting only to the MSC 49.

Just as the first quarter ended, Buffalo Rex Loftis made a wild throw that was recovered by Bob Lance on the Southern 43. Switching ends, the Southerners scored in seven plays, with the longest gain by J. C. Arban on the old Statue of Liberty play for 50 yards.

After three plays from the four, MSC quarterback Doug Barfield faked to the fullback then swept around end for the first touchdown of the game. Douglas Whitfield added the extra point.

The next time MSC got the ball they stretched the lead to 13-0. Quarterback Bobby Hughes heaved a long pass and end Jerry Taylor stretched to catch it without losing his stride and raced on to score. The play was good for 52 yards. Larry Meek's extra point try was wide.

It had begun to look as if the Southerners would break their jinx of never winning a bowl game, when the Buffalo herd woke with a bellow.

Late in the third quarter, MSC had driven to the West Texas 25. Hughes faded back to pass, but was rushed. He tried to pass and Mills folded the ball in his arms on the 25 and took off. Only seven seconds remained in the quarter when he scored.

Just after the turn of the quarter, Barfield tried a pass but Hillman foiled his plans by intercepting the ball on the WT 39 and returning it to 45. It took only nine plays to tie the score.

Hillman threw to Ken Ballard for a 11 yard pass, and Mills ran for 14 and 12 yards in the drive. Reaching the five, the Buffs got to the one on an offsides penalty against Southern.

Mills jumped over for the score and Coffey kicked with 10:21 left in the game.

Then again the Herd pushed its way over the goal line, this time from 77 yards out.

Hillman toted the ball across for the winning touchdown, running from the 20 on a keeper.

Coffey kicked the extra point with 4:26 left in the game.

The Buffs almost scored again, but were stopped by a goal line stand when only a minute or so was left on the clock.

The statistics:

	WT	MSC
First Downs	12	14
Yards Rushing	164	158
Yards Passing	42	156
Passes Tried	8	22
Completed	4	11
Intercepted by	2	0
Punts	6/29.8	5/30.4
Fumbles Lost	3	2
Penalties	3/15	7/63

Bolstered by the Canyon High School Eagle Band, a couple of hundred Buffalo football fans met the West Texas State football team when it arrived in Amarillo Wednesday afternoon.

4-H Learns How To Make Octopus

The Pleasant-Jo 4-H Club had a pre-Christmas meeting in the Farm Bureau building with eight members and one guest, Jacquita Barnard, present. Mrs. Mona Hildreth demonstrated the making of octopus dolls.

The annual 4-H Christmas party was discussed.

Members present were Peggy and Leta Cranmer, Judy Wilson, Patricia Salmon, Norma Henderson, Katherine Winstead, Jeanie Brazil and Sharon Cranmer.

Three WT students knew what time the Buffs were coming, so they baked a big cake for the team. They stationed themselves and the cake right in front of the plane's door and presented the cake to Coach Frank Kimbrough.

Fairview Breezes

Mr. and Mrs. Raford Shipman and children, Jannis, Emiel Ross and Pam, went to Seymour Sunday, Dec. 30, and visited with his parents during Christmas week. They returned home Jan. 5.

Those enjoying "88" in the Frank Rogers home Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Lavena Amerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley to Littlefield Wednesday.

Mrs. Madge Sutton entertained the Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon with 11 members and one visitor present. The new president, Mrs. Inez Shipman, took the chair for the coming year. Cake and coffee and ice cream were served to the group.

Mrs. June Foster had the misfortune of wrecking their car as a truck pulled across the road in front of her. The baby, Larry, was thrown from the seat to the floorboard of the car, and the girls, Paulann and Connie, who were in the back seat, were thrown forward. No one was injured seriously.

Mrs. Georgia Rogers was taken seriously ill sometime Friday night and a doctor was called. Saturday evening she was taken to the hospital in Amarillo for emergency treatment. Those visiting with Mrs. Rogers in the hospital Sunday were C. P. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Lavena Amerson.

Mrs. Georgia Rogers took care of her five grandchildren while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Foster, met with the car adjuster in Amarillo Friday.

There were only 14 persons at church Sunday morning due to illness. Church was dismissed for the evening.

We were glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collier to church Sunday.

We learned our friends, the Truett Colliers, are both working at the college in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Wesley of Plainview visited from Dec. 30 until Jan. 1 with Arlen's grandparents.

E. P. Wesley of Cliffside visited his brothers and their families and his sister, Mrs. Ella Hext, over the holidays.

C. P. Rogers visited and watched the Rose Parade and the ball games at the J. W. Wesley home New Year's Day.

Gordon Foster helped John Patterson work cattle Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Prossor and boys, John, David and Ronnie, of Amarillo, visited with Mrs. Prossor's uncle and aunt Sunday evening the 30th.

Elsie Pearson visited with her aunts, the Prossors and Lowerys, in Amarillo during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Airheart and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zachery attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas New Year's Day.

The Happy Cowgirls played in an invitational tournament at Dimmitt Saturday morning and lost to Nazareth.

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